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SOUTHERN WRECK NEAR SALISBURY

Twenty-Five Persons were Injured When Passenger Train Was Derailed.

THREE OF WILMINGTON HURT

Five Were Injured Seriously—Engine and All Coaches Left Track—Chair Car Went Over Steep Embankment.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Five were seriously hurt and 20 received lesser injuries today when Train No. 22, of the Southern Railway, was derailed six miles west of Salisbury, N. C. The engine and all of the coaches left the track and a chair car went down a 25-foot embankment. Those seriously injured are:

E. S. Taylor, 78 years of age, New Orleans, head cut, injured internally.

Three-year-old son of Mrs. Richard Clark Wilson, New Orleans, legs badly mutilated.

John P. Simms, 30 years old, Augusta, Ga., right hip and leg and back injured.

Dr. J. M. Belk, 47 years old, Monroe, N. C., back of head hurt, spinal chord seemingly affected.

Judson Buchanan, 51 years old, Chattanooga, Tenn., head severely cut and bruised.

The seriously injured were moved to a hospital in Salisbury.

The cause of the accident has not been officially determined. Those receiving minor injuries are Taylor Daniels, colored porter; W. A. Harrison, Breman, Asheville division; Rev. R. C. Beaman and Miss Catherine C. Beaman, Durham, N. C.; E. W. Tatub, Salisbury, N. C.; U. S. Garrett, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Margaret Hunt, Lexington, N. C.; Holt Hunt, Lexington, N. C.; L. W. Wessell, Wilmington, N. C.; I. W. Solomon, Wilmington, N. C.; Mrs. E. W. Habel, Raleigh, N. C.; Fred Habel, Jr., Mrs. Richard Clark Wilson, 4927 Perrier street, New Orleans; Nell Piper, Durham, N. C.; Elizabeth Warren Thompson, Raleigh, N. C.; G. C. Scarlett, LaFayette, La.; Lillie Gray, Durham, N. C.; Mrs. A. P. Gilbert, Durham, N. C., and H. E. Ortman, Wilmington, N. C.

Another Account.

Salisbury, N. C., Aug. 4.—Eastbound passenger train No. 22, on the Southern Railway, running from Asheville to Goldsboro, was derailed seven miles from Salisbury this afternoon and 20 passengers were injured, six of whom were seriously hurt. While making full time, the observation car left the rails and all other coaches followed in quick succession, the chair car plunging down a 30 foot embankment, turning over twice. The passengers were covered in a mass of timber, broken chairs and glass. The train crew set to work at once to rescue the injured, who were conveyed to a Salisbury hospital.

The injuries of all were considered slight with the exception of Richard Wilson, aged 3 years, and Attorney Geo. H. Smathers, whose condition is critical. Physicians and nurses were rushed from Salisbury to the scene of the wreck on a special train which conveyed the injured to a hospital. The wreck is said to have been caused by a spreading of the rails.

The first news of the wreck and the injuring of the several Wilmington people was received here through the medium of private telegrams to members of the families of those who were hurt. Messrs. L. W. Wessell and H. E. Ortmann were returning from Hendersonville, N. C., where they had been spending some time. A telegram to Dr. Wessell from his brother stated that he was not seriously hurt, while a telegram to Mr. F. W. Ortmann, Jr., seemed to indicate that Mr. Ortman was more seriously hurt. Mr. Solomon telegraphed members of his family that he was not seriously hurt and it is presumed that he will resume his journey. Mr. Wessell stated that he would come home within a day or two. All are being cared for at a Salisbury hospital. Mr. Ike Solomon was also returning from the mountains, whither he went to accompany his family.

TO HELP FARMERS

Governor Calls Meeting of Railroad President in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 4.—Governor Mann has called a meeting of the presidents of the railroads in Virginia, to be held in the Senate chamber, September 1st for the purpose of securing cheaper ground limestone and caustic lime for the farmers of the State. He is in favor of a measure providing that convict labor shall be used to grind limestone and furnish it to the farmers at cost. A bill to this effect was offered in the last Legislature but was defeated.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 4.—Edwin T. Earle, millionaire owner and publisher of two Los Angeles papers, the Express and the Tribune, was indicted late today on a charge of disclosing the contents of an intercepted wireless message. A bench warrant was served and Mr. Earle was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

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ANOTHER SHERMAN SUIT IS BROUGHT

Government Action Against Six Railroads and Two Coal Concerns.

ARE CRUSHING COMPETITION

Action Asks That Combination on Enjoined From Continuing Business—Roads and Coal Companies All Connected.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 4.—Suit was filed by the United States government in the Federal Circuit Court today against six railroad companies and three coal mining concerns, charging a combination in restraint of trade and asking that the combinations be enjoined from continuing business.

The government charges that the Hocking Valley Railroad amalagamations ownership of the capital stock of the Toledo and Ohio Central, the Kanawha and Michigan and the Zanesville and Western roads and its connection with the mining concerns named has crushed competition. The defendant companies are:

Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad, Chesapeake and Ohio, Hocking Valley, Toledo and Ohio Central, Kanawha and Michigan, Zanesville and Western Railroads; Sunday Creek Coal Company, Continental Coal Co., Kanawha and Hocking Coal and Coke Company.

The government's petition alleges that the combination thus formed affects four of the great coal mining fields, namely, the Pittsburg, the West Virginia, the Kanawha Valley and the Hocking Valley.

It is alleged that the six railroads are affiliated and that the three coal companies are also not only among themselves, but with the railroad companies.

The Hocking Valley, the Toledo and Ohio Central, the Kanawha and Michigan and the Zanesville and Western were until recently under control of the "trunk line syndicate." The Sunday Creek Coal Company is a holding company, controlling the Continental Coal Company and other companies owning properties in Virginia, West Virginia and Ohio.

The government's purpose is to prevent the change of ownership agreed on last year when the trunk line syndicate turned over the four railroads and their affiliated coal companies to the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern and the Chesapeake and Ohio, the latter taking charge of the Hocking Valley which is the principal one of the four roads.

The suit seeks further to break up entirely the alleged combination between the four roads and the Sunday Creek Company and its subsidiary coal companies, which had been complained of by Ohio coal operators for two or three years, and which has been the basis for innumerable suits brought in county and United States courts in Ohio.

Back of the fight has been the Ohio Coal Operators' Association, of which Howard Mannington, of Columbus, is secretary. He laid the case before the Department of Justice and President Taft more than a year ago, and urged that action be brought, and the government has been investigating conditions since that time.

The whole suit hinges on the Hocking Valley Railroad. The officials of this company, it is alleged, were placed in offices corresponding to those held in the parent company soon after the Hicking Valley road gained control of the capital stock of its subsidiaries, and, according to the petition, were instructed to operate the roads along the same line as the parent company had been managed.

The company then set about controlling the larger coal companies and succeeded in placing the Continental Coal Company, which owns 28,000 acres of coal lands in the Hocking Valley district on its list along with the Kanawha and Hocking Valley Coal Company. The Sunday Creek Coal Company was formed as a blind, the government charges to permit the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad and the Chesapeake and Ohio, along with the four Ohio companies, to stifle competition by merging all the railroads and the principal coal companies in the State into one corporation while still retaining their own individuality.

The majority of the capital stock of the Sunday Creek Company was held by the Hocking Valley Railroad at the time it was formed, according to the government petition, but was later turned over to the Central Trust Company, of New York, in order to avoid prosecution under the Heyburn law.

The consideration in this transfer was one dollar and a mortgage for the full value of the stock.

Five agreements between the railroad companies, the coal companies and the Central Trust Company, of New York, are offered by the government as evidence in its petition.

In conclusion, the government prays the court to adjudge the combination between the railroad companies and the coal companies unlawful and in restraint of trade and to grant an injunction forever, enjoining them from paying each other dividends on the stock they hold in the companies named as defendants in the suit.

The suit was filed by Sherman McPherson, U. S. District Attorney for the Southern District of Ohio. The petition was signed by Mr. McPherson, George W. Wickersham, Attorney General of the United States; J. A. Fowler, assistant to the Attorney General, and O. E. Harrison, special assistant to the Attorney General.

TOGO FROM JAPAN VISITING AMERICA

Japanese Naval Hero Guest of Government of the United States.

RODE IN CAB OF FAST TRAIN

Admiral Arrived in Washington Late Last Night—Will Likely Visit President Today—His Stay Eventful.

New York, Aug. 4.—Admiral Togo left New York late this afternoon for Washington. His departure had a feature quite as unusual as his midnight arrival and welcome in New York bay last night, for he left the city in the cab of a big electric engine drawing a heavy Pennsylvania train for the capital city.

Although the luxurious private car Olivette, which the government has provded for him, was attached to the train, the naval hero elected to sit by the engineer's side and watch him operate the 4,000 horsepower motor.

"I am intensely interested in your world -pre-eminence in electrical engineering and railroading," the little admiral said through hs interpreter, "and I wish to avail myself of this opportunity to closely observe both. Therefore I will ride with the engineer."

The admiral rode in the cab to the limit of the electric zone, at Harrison, N. J., and there entered his car. He asked many questions of the engineer and displayed more interest in this incident of his visit than anything else.

During his stay here Admiral Togo had many conflicting experiences, but there was not the least change in his countenance. He was entirely impassive so far as his face might reveal his emotions, even when three photographers became involved in a "quarrel in his presence as to preference for camera position and were ejected from the room.

"It had been agreed by Commander Tanaguchi and Chandler Hale, third Assistant Secretary of State, that the newspaper reporters would be permitted to interview the admiral briefly, but not on politics. But, as soon as they had reached the Anglo-French-American arbitration treaties, some of the reporters persisted and Mr. Hale and Mr. Tanaguchi emphatically terminated the interview, but the admiral's face did not change its placid expression.

When the admiral boarded the electric locomotive in the Pennsylvania station he told his aide that in riding under the Hudson river in a fast and powerful motor he hoped to learn more of the value for Japan. Before boarding the train he was shown over the new station, followed by a large crowd and was frequently applauded.

Togo at Capital.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Admiral Togo and his party reached the National capital at 9:25 o'clock tonight. Owing to an incessant drizzle of rain the crowd which greeted the Japanese naval hero was small, but he was enthusiastically cheered as he passed through union station to a waiting automobile.

President Taft had sent one of the White House automobiles and Admiral Togo went immediately to a hotel and retired for the night.

Major Archibald Butt and Lieutenant Commander Palmer, military and naval aides to the President, met the distinguished Japanese at the station, Lieutenant Commander Palmer formally welcoming the visitor and his party on behalf of the President.

Admiral Togo spoke his acknowledgement briefly through an interpreter and left the train, escorted by Major Butt and Lieutenant Commander Palmer.

Chandler Hale, third assistant Secretary of State and Captain Potts, U. S. navy, who walked with Baron Uchida, the Japanese ambassador. Baron Uchida joined the party at Baltimore, having come from Buena Vista, Md., the Summer home of the embassy. The entire embassy staff was present.

The admiral will call on President Taft tomorrow and will be entertained here almost continuously until his departure on Wednesday next.

FOUR PERSONS WERE KILLED.

Unusual Series of Railroad Accidents at Union, S. C.

Union, S. C., Aug. 4.—Four persons were killed on railroads in this county today. At Santuch a buggy containing Mrs. R. G. A. Jetter and four of her children, were struck by a Southern Railway engine. Mrs. Jetter and two children, aged seven years and six months, respectively, were killed. The other two were injured. The horse was killed and the vehicle demolished.

"Bud" Lipsey, cotton mill operative, said to have been deaf, was run over and killed while walking on the tracks of the Union & Glenn Springs Railroad near this city.

MORE ABOUT STEEL TRUST WAS TOLD

Chas. M. Schwarb Reveals That Corporation Before House Committee.

WAS CHILD OF HIS OWN BRAIN

Declares That Brussels Conference Was Not Held to Fix Prices—Important Facts Were Related.

New York, Aug. 4.—Charles M. Schwab, now a competitor of the United States Steel Corporation, today revealed that corporation before the House Committee of Inquiry as the child of his own brain reared by J. P. Morgan, with the requiescence since regretted of Andrew Carnegie.

Mr. Schwab pictured the steel corporation as a legal organization not formed to curtail output, restrict competition or maintain prices, but to develop the steel industry of America.

The witness denied that the recent Brussels conference of the steel manufacturers of the world, from which he returned recently, had anything to do with fixing prices.

"I want to assure you," he said, "that at no time was the question of price, of division of business territory even mentioned. We were there to tell the exact truth, it seems to me, to have a good time."

Representative Sterling, of Illinois, led Mr. Schwab into a general discussion of the tariff on steel, particularly as to the relations of the business in this country and Germany.

"The real purpose of the tariff on steel," Mr. Sterling suggested, "is to protect you in the home market. You say it can manufacture rails as cheaply as Germany and you will have the advantage in that they must transport to our market?"

"Yes, but Germany can now transport to our Pacific coast for less than we can ship from Pittsburg to the coast," said Mr. Schwab.

"I do not want to argue the tariff," he continued, "but I cannot for the life of me see any advantage to America from liberal protection. It seems to me to be a mistake to have the tariff so low that a foreign competitor can even reach our Pacific coast. That is not the practice of Germany, Austria, France or Italy, or of any country except England."

"You could make rails for less than $28 a ton and still make some profit, couldn't you?" Mr. Beall inquired.

"Oh, yes," was Mr. Schwab's reply, "but I think $28 a ton is too low. As a matter of fact, since I have been president of the Bethlehem Steel Company we have never sold rails for less than $30. We have sold them as high as $55 a ton."

Mr. Schwab will appear before the committee again tomorrow.

WIFE MURDERER'S TRIAL.

Combs Case at Statesville Attracting Much Attention.

Statesville, N. C., Aug. 4.—All of yesterday having been required to secure a jury the taking of testimony in the case of Reuben Combs, on trial here for the murder of his wife, did not begin until this morning.

A great crowd is in town on account of the trial and many of them have been unable to get in the court house.

When court adjourned for dinner five or six witnesses had been examined and the evidence of most of them was about the same as given at the coroner's inquest.

Sheriff Deaton was the most important witness and was on the stand for some time. The officer told of Combs having confessed to him that he gave his wife poison in her milk the night of her death.

The court allowed the sheriff to tell of the confession, but counsel for the defense filed exceptions to it.

The defense is going to make a strong fight, but as yet on what grounds is not known, though insanity is suggested.

OUTLINES.

Admiral Togo, the Japanese naval hero, arrived in New York early yesterday to spend some time in the United States as a guest of the government. He will be in Washington today——Suit was brought yesterday by the government against six railroads and two coal concerns charged with being a combination in restraint of trade——The Democratic House leaders believe they have enough votes to pass the woolen tariff revision measure. It is probable that such action would be taken over the veto of President Taft——The organizer of the wire trust when he pleaded guilty in court yesterday was fined $44,000. Five others also pleaded and were fined——Charles N. Schwarb, now a competitor of the United States Steel Corporation, yesterday revealed that corporation before the House Investigating Committee.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Spot cotton closed quiet, 15 points higher, middling uplands 12.75, middling gulf 13.00. Flour was firmer with a fair trade. Wheat spot firm, No. 2 red new 95 elevator and 96 3-4 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot easy, No. 2, 71 1-2 elevator domestic basis to arrive, export No 2, 71 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Oats steady, futures closed nominal. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

His Eighth Anniversary

Rome, Aug. 4.—Today is the eighth anniversary of the nomination of Pope Pius X to the pontificate. Many felicitations from Italy and abroad were received at the vatican. Notwithstanding his recent indisposition the pontiff celebrated mass in his private chapel in the presence of a few intimates including his sister.

CLIMAX TO WIRE TRUST SUIT

Lawyer Who Organized Combination Sentenced to Pay $45,000—Five Others Pleaded and Were Fined—Features.

New York, Aug. 4.—The succession of fines which has marked the progress of the government's successful campaign against wire manufacturers recently indicted for forming pools in alleged violation of the anti-trust laws, reached a climax today when Edwin E. Jackson, Jr., the New York attorney whom the Federal attorney termed the "head and brains of the trust" was sentenced to pay $45,000.

This is by far the heaviest penalty inflicted upon any of the 73 wire manufacturers who have pleaded nolo contendere, but it did not satisfy United States District Attorney Henry A. Wise. He pleaded with Judge Archibald to send the wire trust attorney to jail. He declared tonight that he would apply for Mr. Jackson's disbarment.

Ten of the Indictment men, including Mr. Jackson, changed their pleas of not guilty to nolo contendere today. They were $1,000 each with $100 more for each additional indictment. Against Jackson nine indictments were found and his fines were $5,000 for each count. In addition he was sentenced to pay $2,600 in costs. District Attorney Wise told the court that the defendant had made $211,000 in organizing the wire pools in 1908 and $107,000 in 1909, and charged that he had violated the law for 20 years.

"In my opinion," he continued, "this man is the worst type of criminal that society has to contend with. He knew he was violating the law and he dragged others into it."

Others who pleaded and were fined today were Herbert L. Satterlee, son-in-law of J. P. Morgan; William S. Kyle, Wallace D. Rumsey, George E. Holton, Frederick I. Hall, J. B. Olsen, James H. Sieberling, Benjamin S. Wolf and Eugene R. Phillips.

Only ten more members of the alleged illegal pools remain to plead, and the district attorney believes that the will enter pleas of nolo contendere.

THE TRUE REFORMERS.

Colored Organization Under Fire in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 4.—This afternoon the Husting court grand jury, which has been investigating the financial condition of the Order of True Reformers, colored, was at its own request adjourned until Monday morning. The books of the organization have been under examination by the grand jury for the last two days. Today Insurance Commissioner Button and Speaker Byrd, of the House of Delegates, were questioned as witnesses. William R. Griffin, colored, of Washington, said today that the reformers have funds enough to prosecute all offenders and will reorganize into a stronger institution than ever.

LEGAL KIDNAPPING CONDEMNED

Move of Senate Select Committee As in Cases of Moyer, Haywood and McNamara—Was Urged by Senator Borah.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The process of "legal kidnapping" as in the labor cases of Moyer and McNamara was condemned by the Senate Select Committee appointed to investigate the third degree methods of the police authorities of the United States which was presented to the Senate today by Senator Borah on behalf of the committee.

The committee said the practice of hurrying accused men from one State to another without giving them an opporunity to be heard should be prevented by prohibiting extradition until after the lapse of a certain number of days or by some other effective plan.

The only other recommendation was the cessation of "jury shadowing" by the secret service men.

The condemnation of jury shadowing was based upon the committee's discovery that in important cases the Department of Justice authorized surveillance of jurymen to prevent their being tampered with. The committee in this final report condemned the practice of the government even though it be by the defense, because it is "liable to great abuse."

The committee's comment on irregular extradition was evidently based on the course pursued in removing Moyer and Haywood from Colorado to Idaho on the charge of murdering Governor Steunenberg and in getting McNamara from Indiana on the charge of destroying the Los Angeles Times building, but neither instance is specially mentioned.

The report was signed by all the members of the committee, Senator Borah, who presented it was counsel for the prosecution in the Moyer-Haywood Pittibone cases in Idaho, of the American Federation of Labor who were "kidnapped" in Colorado and taken to Idaho for trial on the charge of murdering Governor Steuenenberg.

RE-APPORTIONMENT BILL.

Will probably Go to President for Signature Today.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The Congressional re-apportionment bill, increasing the membership of the House from 391 to 433, and providing for a further increase when New Mexico and Arizona become States, probably will go to President Taft tomorrow for his signature, when Vice President Sherman and Speaker Clark will sign it tomorrow.

The House measure as amended in the Senate was adopted without a roll call today by the House.

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MAY PASS MEASURE OVER TAFT'S VETO

Leaders Believe They Have Enough Votes to Put Woolen Bill Through.

TARIFF FIGHT IN SENATE

Senator Overman Asks for Time for Hearing on Wool Bill—Revision Measures Under Consideration—Features.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Democratic leaders in the House of Representatives believe tonight that they have enough votes to pass the wool tariff revision bill over President Taft's veto if necessary. Mr. Underwood, Democratic leader of the House and Senator LaFollette, the insurgent Republican, to whom the Senate confided its part of the wool conference as a subcommittee, spent two hours today discussing the two bills out of which it is hoped to form a compromise woolen tariff measure to send to the President.

"We have reached no basis of agreement," said Mr. Underwood tonight, "but I have confidence that a bill will be finally agreed up." Because of the apprehension among the Republicans that there may be an effort on the part of Democrats and insurgents to pass the wool and free list bills over the President's veto Republican leaders in the Senate and House sent out hurry calls for Republican absentees to hurry back to Washington.

The free list bill, which has been sent by both Houses to the same conference committee as that handling the wool bill, is to be considered at the same time. Mr. Underwood said that while separate reports would be brought in, both bills undoubtedly would be discussed together. This gives the House Democrats additional trading stock in negotiating for a compromise on the measures.

The cotton tariff revision bill, passed by the House late yesterday, was sent to the Senate Finance Committee today, by a resolution of the Senate which requires a report on the measure by August 10th. Senator Penrose, as chairman, has called a meeting of the Finance Committee for 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and when the Senate convenes tomorrow Mr. Penrose probably will report the bill back with an adverse report. This was the procedure followed with reference to the wool and free list bill.

The effect that the changing tariff situation will have upon adjournment of Congress is a matter for conjecture. In both Houses the leaders do not believe that consideration of the cotton bill by the Senate will necessarily lengthen the rapidly closing session which many of the leaders say may end between August 12th and August 15th. Mr. Penrose said today he would ask for an early vote and Mr. Underwood advanced the opinion that if this method were pursued in the Senate, there was no reason to believe that Congress would be in session more than a week or two.

The House Committee on Ways and Means has already begun work on the iron and steel tariff which is the schedule on which William J. Bryan attacked Mr. Underwood and on which Mr. Underwood replied with the unanimous support of House Democrats.

"If Congress continues in session, an iron and steel revision bill will be brought in at this session," said Mr. Underwood; "if there is to be an early adjournment, the announcement will be made to the House before adjournment that the iron and steel tariff will be ready for action when Congress assembles in December."

Tariff Fight in Senate

The insurgent leaders of the Senate are likely to bring the iron and steel tariff up at once, in the Senate fight on the cotton bill. Senator Cummins of Iowa, is anxious to make the Senate consider steel and iron revisions, and revisions of the rubber and sugar schedules, as amendments to the cotton tariff bill.

Before the Senate acted, Senator Overman, of North Carolina, asked that the committee be given until August 15th, so that it might hold hearings on the bill. This was lost 12 to 51. Mr. Overman contended vigorously that the people of his State desired hearings, although they were in favor of fair and impartial revision of the cotton schedule.

Senator Cummins declared that Congress should go on passing tariff revision bills without consideration as to whether the President would veto them or not. Senator Overman held that it would be foolish for Congress to remain in session and keep on passing tariff bills, if it found out that he would veto them all.

"This is a somewhat belated request for a hearing," said Senator Smith, of Michigan, "and comes with poor grace from that side of the chamber. The truth is the Senator (Overman) has been gored by his own horns and he wants for the industries of the South protection which he is not willing to grant to those of the North."

"If the President vetoes the wool bill," said Mr. Overman, "as the newspapers report he will do, there will be

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 5; New York, 3.
At Cincinnati-Philadelphia—rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	57	34	.626
New York	57	37	.606
Pittsburg	57	38	.600
Philadelphia	56	38	.596
St. Louis	52	42	.553
Cincinnati	40	53	.426
Brooklyn	35	59	.372
Boston	21	74	.221

Pittsburg, Aug. 4.—New York and Pittsburg played strong game today, Pittsburg winning by a score of 5 to 3. The visitors led until the fifth inning when the local team scored three runs because of good hitting and the wildness of Ames. Ames was taken off the rubber after the fifth inning and Wiltse substituted. New York tied the score in the sixth inning, but Pittsburg scored in the seventh and eighth innings, principally because of three-baggers by Clark and Byrne.

Pittsburg .....000 030 11x—5 11 1
New York .....100 002 000—3 7 5

Camnitz and Gibson; Wiltse, Ames and Meyer; time 1:58; umpires Klem and Brennan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 1; Chicago, 0.
Second: Chicago, 2; Washington, 3.
At Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 1.
Second: Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 2.
At New York, 3; Cleveland, 10.
At Boston, 7; Detroit, 3.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	63	34	.650
Detroit	63	36	.636
Boston	53	48	.525
New York	50	48	.510
Chicago	49	49	.500
Cleveland	51	51	.500
Washington	37	61	.377
St. Louis	29	68	.304

New York, Aug. 4.—Cleveland had no difficulty in winning its third straight game from New York by a score of 10 to 3. Caldwell and Quinn were both hit hard while Falkenburg pitched a winning game throughout.

Cleveland .....014 103 010—10 15 4
New York .....100 200 000— 3 9 4

Falkenberg and Fisher; Caldwell, Quinn and Sweeney; time 1:51; umpires Mullin and O'Loughlin.

Boston, Aug. 4.—Boston assisted Philadelphia to gain the lead in the pennant race from Detroit today, defeating the Tigers for the fourth straight game 7 to 3. Hall's exertions when he made a home run in the second inning, sending two men in ahead of him, forced hs retirement from the box, Detroit securing three runs in the next inning. Killilay, who succeeded him, pitched well.

Boston .....132 100 00x—7 6 1
Detroit .....003 000 000—3 6 3

Hall and Nunemaker; Mullin and Stanage; tme 1:55; umpires Perrine and Dineen.

Philadelphia, Aug. 4.—Philadelphia won both games of today's doubleheader from St. Louis and took the lead in the American League race. The scores were 5 to 1 and 5 to 2. The first contest was won by bunching hits off Mitchell's delivery, while the feat was duplicated in the second game at Powell's expense. Philadelphia has played St. Louis 14 games this season and has won every game. Two seasons' records for the league park here were made today. In the opener McInnis got 18 put-outs at first base, while in the second contest Powell caused 15 batsmen to go out on fly balls.

St. Louis .....000 001 000—1 4 2
Philadelphia ....000 010 22x—5 10 1

Mitchell and Krichell; Plank and Thomas; time 1:35.

Second game:

St. Louis .....011 000 000—2 9 1
Philadelphia ....120 000 02x—5 8 0

Powell and Stephens; Morgan and Livngston; time 1:45; umpires Evans and Egan.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Washington defeated Chicago in both games of today's double-header, the first game going 11 innings, 1 to 0, and 3 to 2. Eight sensational plays were recorded in the first game, Lord and Walker makng phenomenal catches. Cashion, from Greenville, S. C., made his debut in the second game and held Chicago to three scattered hits. Zeider, Sullivan and Henry had to retire on account of injuries, while Street was benched by the umpire.

Washington ..000 000 000 01—1 5 0
Chicago .....000 000 000 00—0 5 2

Johnson and Street; White and Payne; time 1:55; umpires Connolly and Parker.

Washington ....001 100 001—3 11 1
Chicago .....110 000 000—2 3 0

Cashion and Street, Henry, Ainsmith; Walsh and Sullivan, Payne; umpires Connolly and Parker; time 2:10.

GATES' CONDITION CRITICAL.

Little Hope Entertained for the American Millionaire.

Paris, Aug. 4.—According to those in attendance the condition of John W. Gates was unchanged at noon from the state observed late last night.

Last evening Mr. Gates recovered partly from the sinking spell of the afternoon which was so pronounced that it seemed the end was near.

The relapse followed a chill and left the patient weaker and with increased congestion of lungs. In spite of this Dr. Gross and his associates did not despair of the outcome and said that at least there was no immediate danger of a fatal termination of the disease.

Mr. Gates has shown more strength this afternoon, and his physicians at 3 P. M. said they felt more hopeful of the outcome.

AEROPLANE DROPS INTO CROWD.

Five Spectators Are Hurt! Aviator Uninjured.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Physicians today reported the injury of five persons, who narrowly escaped death late yesterday when an earoplane dropped 100 feet into a crowd of spectators at West Pullman, Ill.

The accident occurred at the practice field of a private aviation school.

Frank Ballei, the aviator, was uninjured. He was making a test flight in a new bi-plane, when the machine became unmanageable.

South Atlantic League

At Columbus 2; Macon 0.
At Columbia 1; Albany 2.
At Savannah 6; Charleston 1.
At Jacksonville-Augusta rain.

Southern League

At Montgomery 3; Memphis 0.
Second: Montogmery 5; Memphis three.
At Birmingham 3; Nashville 4.
At New Orleans 10; Atlanta 4.
At Mobile 0; Chattanooga 8.

Eastern League

At Providence 2; Montreal 1.
At Jersey City 4; Toronto 3.
At Baltimore 9; Buffalo 0.
At Newark 3; Rochester 5.

American Association

At Columbus 3; Louisville 2.
At Milwaukee 2; Kansas City 8.
At St. Paul 2; Minneapolis 10.
At Toledo 1; Indianapolis 8.

Virginia League.

At Richmond 4; Roanoke 7.
At Lynchburg 9; Norfolk 0.
At Petersburg 7; Danville 4.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg 7; Greenville 1.
At Charlotte 3; Nnderson 5.
At Winston-Salem 4; Greensboro 3.

Appalachian League.

At Asheville 10; Bristol 4.
At Knoville 1; Morristown 0.
Second: Knoville 0; Morristown 2.
At Johnson City 1; Cleveland 0.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES

Soldiers and Brigadiers and Triangles and Railroaders.

The local fans who turn out to the games today will have as good an exhibition presented to them as they have seen this season. For the first session the W. L. I. will appear against the Boys' Brigade and the Soldiers have promised to continue their winning streak and put it over the Brigadiers. Whitehead will appear on the mound for the Soldiers and his exhibitions during the last few games proves him a good one. For the Brigadiers, Smith will put them over. He has made good as a fielder and has a reputation as having some class to his curves as a slabman. As far as the dope goes the first exhibition should be a good one and the managers ask that the patrons not fail to ask for a copy of the score card so they may keep up with the games. The line up will be as follows:

W. L. I.—McClelland, c; Whitehead, p; Orrell, 1b; Smith, 2b; Schulken, 3b; Taylor, ss; Calder, lf; Gore, cf; Parker, rf.

Boys' Brigade—Watson, c; Smith, p; Burnett, 1b; Gore, 2b; Lacy, 3b; Montgomery, ss; Davis, C., lf; Parham, cf; Mintz, rf.

The second game should prove a nerve-renderer. The Railroaders are up against the Y. M. C. A. and those Triangle boys have the avowed intention of winning the game because they are the only outfit, they think that are capable of putting it over the Coast Line boys. Without further words take a look at the line-up:

Y. M. C. A.—Wessell, c; Bergen, lf; Jones, ss; McCravy, 1b; Carraway, 2b; Bell, 3b; Sellers, cf; Brittain, rf; Hines, p.

A. C. L.—Wright, c; Green, p; Terry, 1b; Grainger, 2b; Houston, 3b; Taylor, ss; Bergen, lf; Hines, c; Symmes, rf.

DILLON HORSE WON.

Heavy Track and Dr. Caldwell Lost First of Series of Races.

There was much local interest yesterday in the race at Dillon, S. C., between Montague, a horse owned by Mr. Wiggins, of that place, and The Queen, owned by Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, of this city, the meet being the first of three special matches for a purse of $600. A long distance telephone message from Dillon last night stated that the Dillon horse had won but no further particulars could be learned, as Dr. Caldwell has left on his return to Wilmington. The second race in the series of three will take place at Highwood Park, this city, Friday of next week. Mile heats will be run, winner to take three out of five. In addition to the purse, the winner will take 75 per cent. of the gate receipts, the remainder going to the Wilmington Driving Association. There is much rivalry between the admirers of the respective horses and the interest next Friday will be keen. There was rain yesterday at Dillon and the track is reported to have been heavy.

THOUGHT SNAKE AN UMBRELLA.

Policeman Has Fierce Battle With a Seven-Foot Reptile.

Cincinnati, August 3.—A blacksnake nearly seven feet long, gave Policeman Beiser a fieree battle early this morning, when Beiser, thinking that it was an umbrella, attempted to pick up the reptile.

Beiser was making his rounds and boarded the Sedamville "owl" car to go down the road to Anderson's ferry. When the car stopped at Steiner avenue the officer, who was standing near the motorman, noticed a black object lying in the road. Thinking it was an umbrella, the officer started to pick it up. His hand had hardly closed over the object when it showed signs of life.

In a flash a big blacksnake had coiled itself around his leg. He kicked himself free and struck at the reptile with his club. The snake came back. Beiser struck at it repeatedly, but it was not dispatched until the car crew went to his aid with a switch iron.

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New series opens today. People's Building & Loan Association, 206 Princess street. **

TWO DAYS' TOURNAMENT ENDS

Mr. Geo. Lyon, of Durham, High Gun Professional, and Mr. Chas. Nuchols, of Charlotte, Wins In Amateur Class.

With Mr. Geo. L. Lyon, of Durham, high professional for the two shoots and Mr. Chas. Nuchols, of Charlotte, holding the same relative position in the amateur class, the two-days registered trap-shooting tournament held at the grounds of the Wilmington Gun Club, came to a close yesterday. Despite the inclemency of the weather there was a fair attendance and some good scores were made.

Following the completion of the 150-bird regular event there was a 50-bird handicap shoot for the handsome trophy given by the Tidewater Power Co. This prize was in the form of an electric percolator, and was won by Mr. J. E. Taylor, of this city, and a member of the Wilmington Gun Club, by the score of 46. Mr. Taylor shot from the 18-yard line. A close second in the trophy event was Mr. C. C. Bates, of Charlotte, with a score of 44, shooting from the 19-yard line.

In the regular event Mr. Lyon, yesterday broke 146 out of 150, making his score for the two days 286 out of 300. Mr. Walter Huff, of Macon, Ga., yesterday broke 142 out of 150, giving him a score for the two days 278 out of 300.

In the amateur class Mr. Nuchols took first place, breaking 139 out of 150 yesterday, making his total score 275 out of 300. Second among the men at the traps was Col. J. T. Anthony, with a total score for the two days of 268. Mr. W. J. Terry, of Bennettsville, S. C., was third with a score of 267 and Dr. J. H. Dreher, of Wilmington, fourth, with 264.

The inclemency of the weather made good shooting difficult yesterday and also kept a number from entering the contest who would have done so otherwise.

The tournament finished yesterday was the first registered event ever held in the city. It was conducted under the Squier Money-back system, which is now used in all the registered meets. By this system the amateur who shoots through every event and fails to win the amount of his entry fees is refunded enough to make up the loss. In addition, the high gun men also receive their prize money, and when a surplus is left from the fund derived from the sale of the targets, the money contributed by the club giving the shoot and the equal sum added by the Inter-State Association for the Encouragement of Trap Shooting, the surplus is divided among the high gun amateurs.

The members of the local club are gratified over their first registered tournament and it is likely that others will be held here in the future. Some of the best professional shots in the country attended and all spoke in terms of praise for the members of the local club.

The results of the regular event for yesterday and for the complete shoot are as follows:

Professionals.

	Shot at.	Broke.	Shot at.	Broke.
			Two Days.	
Lyon, G. L.	150	146	300	286
Huff, Walter	150	142	300	278
Goodrich, C. E.	150	127	300	261
Knight, Chas.	150	126	300	245
Robbins, W. L.	105	79	255	198
Amateurs.				
Nuchols, Chas.	150	139	300	275
Anthony, J. T.	150	133	300	268
Terry, W. J.	150	133	300	267
Dreher, J. H.	150	132	300	264
Bates, C. C.	150	135	300	260
Walls, Wm.	150	130	300	260
Simms, W. W.	150	128	300	250
Taylor, J. E.	150	128	300	256
Penny, G. W.	150	123	300	254
Boylan, G. S.	150	130	300	251
Andrews, I.	150	119	300	243
Crichton, R. H.	150	124	300	240
Bennett, J. N.	150	112	300	230
Darby, F. R.	150	111	300	225
Townsend, L. B.	150	109	300	219
Grant, L. C.	150	102	300	218
Mackelvey	45	37	...	...
Christian	100	56	...	...

Washington, Aug. 4.—When the conference on the wool tariff revision bill met today Senator LaFollette and Representative Underwood were appointed a sub-committee to consider and report upon the differences between the two Houses. The motion for their appointment, made by Senator Bailey was on the ground that "they represent the extreme elements of the Senate and House respectively."

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Plenty of Wilmington Readers Have This Experience.

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They can't keep up the continual strain.
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Urinary troubles set in.
Don't wait longer—take Doan's Kidney Pills.
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THE HAITIEN TROUBLE.

Antoine Simon Sets Sail for Jamaica—Situation.

Port au Prince, Haiti, Aug. 4.—Antoine Simon sailed last night for Kingston, Jamaica, the refuge of Haiti's fallen heroes, as the warship "17 December," which took its name from the day he was unanimously elected President of the black republic, boomed a doleful farewell.

He follows in the wake of Nord Alexis, whom he overthrew in the last month of 1908, and he leaves the capital in the possession of Cincinnatus Leconte, whom he had driven into exile with his deposed chief, and Antenor Firmin, a rival for the Presidency, whom he placated by sending as a minister to Cuba.

Nord Alexis ruled for six years. On December 3, 1908, Simon, then at the height of his popularity, led an overwhelming revolutionary army into Port au Prince and was everywhere proclaimed as a saviour of the country from tyranny. He appeared to have the country united behind him. Nord Alexis, who had found safety on the French cruiser Duguay, later boarded the German steamer Sarma and proceeded to Kingston, where, embittered against his countrymen, he died in the spring of 1910. To the last he refused to admit that he could understand the hostility of the people.

"They always cheered me when I appeared in the streets," he was wont to say, mournfully, "and have always labored for their good."

With Simon disposed of, attention has turned to his successor, and there is much uneasiness regarding the future.

Leconte and Firmin are both avowed candidates for the Presidency. They head rival revolutionary armies. Neither leader has arrived at the capital, but their followers are in possession of the city, and the feeling between the two parties is far from friendly.

The danger now is that neither negro will be disposed to retire in favor of the other and that the issue must be literally fought out.

The diplomatic corps is doing everything possible to avert a conflict.

Early last evening Simon and a handful of followers with their baggage were transferred from the American schooner Bradford C. French to the Dutch steamer Prinz Nederlandem, and an hour later the vessel sailed for Kingston. As the vessel passed out of the harbor and Simon had what may prove his last view of the capital, the three Haitien warships gave him a parting salute.

The night passed with comparative calm. Occasionally the report of a rifle was heard, but the lawless ones were held pretty well in check.

The German marines who landed from the cruiser Bremen are still on shore.

It is unlikely that an attempt to constitute a provisional government will be made until Leconte and Firmin arrive.

SENATOR PERCY TO RESIGN.

Announcement Was Great Surprise in Political Circles.

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 4.—The announcement of Senator Leroy Percy, following his defeat in Tuesday's election, that he would tender his resignation to the governor when the legislature meets in January, has created very little surprise in political circles at the capital. A few months after his election to the unexpired term of Senator A. J. McLaurin, the statement was made by Mr. Percy that if the people of Mississippi did not desire him to serve as their senator, he did not want to serve in that capacity, and his resignation is regarded as a fulfillment of the implied promise given at that time, that if not re-elected he would resign.

The legislative body elected Tuesday is overwhelmingly Vardaman in sentiment, very few candidates running on the anti-Vardaman ticket having been elected.

When the resignation is tendered Mr. Vardaman will undoubtedly be nominated on the first ballot and without opposition.

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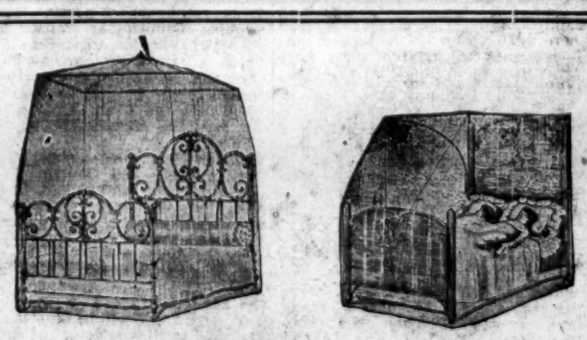

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by Robert Lovick and wife, Florence Lovick, to Walter P. Gafford, duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 61, page 331, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, on Wednesday, the 30th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate, situate in the County of New Hanover, to-wit: Beginning in the western line of Eleventh street, 165 feet from its intersection with the northern line of Queen street, running thence westwardly parallel with Queen 165 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Eleventh street 33 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Queen street 165 feet, to the western line of Eleventh street; thence southwardly along the western line of Eleventh street 33 feet, to the beginning, the same being part of lot 4, in block 82, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

jy30-30d WALTER P. GAFFORD.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 309, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

This 15th of July, 1911.
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By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.
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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township. Entry of Land. No. 9123.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty (450) yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about thirty (30) yards to a stake; thence a northwestwardly course to the mouth of a cut, where Clam Creek empties into Jennett's; thence with Jennett's Creek to the beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, in vacant and unappropriated land belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimants hereby make entry of, lay claim to and pray for a grant for said land.

J. J. PINER.
H. B. SHEPARD.
C. H. STOKLEY.

Entry filed July 14th, 1911.
JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Pardon of Black, from Asheville, Revoked—Coast Artillery Encampment—Fruit and Development Co.—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 4.—The pardon of W. P. Black, the notorious and wealthy Asheville man which has stirred so much sensation and criticism in the Asheville section for some week, is revoked by Governor Kitchin, and Black was taken in custody this morning in Asheville preparatory for recommitting him to service on the roads.

He had served seven months of a 22-months sentence when he was pardoned. Governor Kitchin calls attention to the fact that in granting the conditional pardon in January, 1910, now revoked, he was constrained to so do by almost unanimous request of the people of the section. Judge Pritchard, in urging the pardon declared that in doing so he voiced the sentiment of the great majority of the Good Government

ficers of the Womans Christian Temperance Union recommended that Black be given one more chance. The pardon was first asked in January, 1909, and declined in July of that year and renewed in October, 1901, and finally granted by the Governor January 7th, 1910. Attorneys urging the pardon were H. B. Carter, W. P. Bourne, of Asheville, and Aycock & Winston, Raleigh. The past few months there have been repeated prosecutions and several convictions of Black for participance in blind tiger business, but the latest affair and the one that precipitated the crisis pardon was his conviction of of the pardon was his conviction of participance in White Slave Traffic in enticing young girls to his hotel under the guise of employment as waiters and maids. Governor Kitchin says he revoked the pardon just as soon as a certification of conviction proving violation of the conditions of the pardon was put before him.

The Coast Artillery Corps of the North Carolina National Guard is to go into annual encampment with the regulars at Fort Caswell below Wilmington, August 7th to 18th, for practice in coast defense maneuvers. The companies constituting the corps are Charlotte, Greensboro, Salisbury, Newbern and Wilmington.

Commissions were issued today by Adjutant General R. L. Leinster to George T. Bowen as Lieutenant Junior Grade, Second Division, Naval Brigade, Newbern, and to L. G. Mann as ensign of the same brigade.

The Bushy Mountain Fruit and Development Co., of North Wilkesboro, received a charter today with $500,000 capital authorized and $1,000 subscribed for maintaining apple orchards and for fruit growing and development generally in the Bushy Mountain section of the State. Alexander S. Capehart, J. J. Mayes and J. R. Jones are the principal incorporators.

SECURED FROM SOUTHERN.

Site for Furniture Factory at Asheville—The Board of Trade.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 4.—At a conference yesterday afternoon of a committee from the board of trade and Vice President Spencer, of the Southern Railway, with reference to the purchase of a tract of land from the Southern by the city for a furniture plant, the deal was satisfactorily carried out, by which the Southern is to sell the city three and one-fourth acres of land on the French Broad river just below the site occupied by the National Casket Company. It is not yet announced what price was paid for the land. The committee is to report to the board of trade, if the report is received, after which, it is understood, the board of trade and the board of aldermen will carry out the terms of the agreement.

The conference is the result of an agreement between the Board of Aldermen and the Board of Trade on one side and F. S. Kennett, whereby the city is to purchase a site for a furniture factory out of the advertising appropriations, provided Mr. Kennett carries out certain terms.

The land in queston was acquired by the Southern some years ago to be sold for factory sites.

WILEY BLACK CASE.

Asheville Man Gives Up Lease of Hotel—His Pardon.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., Aug 4.—Wiley B. Black has gven up the lease on what is known as the Asheville Hotel, the place to which he, with a woman named Ollie Bird, was accused and convicted in city police court of enticing young girls on the pretext of hiring them as waiters. The building has been leased. Black's family has been living in Weaverville for some time, but it is not known whether or not Black intends to leave the city. It is understood that letters both for and against Black have been sent to Governor Kitchin; that records of various cases in which Black has been implicated have also been sent to him with a view to influencing the Governor to revoke Black's conditional pardon.

Eugene Way, attorney for Black, stated that he had written to Governor Kitchin in regard to Black's case, asking that he will not make a final decision in the matter until the case, appealed from the city police court and now pending in Superior court, is decided.

FOREST FIRES RAGING

Large Area Near Montague Burned Over With Big Damage.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Montague, N. C., Aug. 4.—One of the most destructive forest fires seen in many years has been raging here the past few days. It originated by the means of a fire that had been built by four men who were getting some timber out of a swamp. In burning up a hornet's nest they left the fire burning. The flames spread and burned rapidly, completely devastating the turpentine lands and fence around the farm of Mrs. J. H. Montague, she being the heaviest loser. By hard work Mrs. Montague's residence and out-houses were saved, though it is thought that many hogs perished in the flames. The fire has been stopped and is now under control.

DUNN NEWS NOTES.

Wounding of Mr. Lee—Still Captured. Other Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., Aug. 3.—Capt. Troy Godwin, of the Durham & Southern Railway, left town today for quite an extended vacation trip. He will visit Canada and the Great Lakes and go from there to California, returning home through Texas and New Orleans.

Mr. William Thompson, son of our townsman, Mr. J. L. Thompson, is makng his plans to attend the Jefferson Medical College this Fall. Mr. Thompson is an old Trinity boy and his many friends over the State will be interested in his preparation to become an M. D.

Mr. C. H. Barnes, president of the Consolidated Naval Stores Co., of Jacksonville, Fla., is spending several days with his brother, Mr. J. D. Barnes. Mr. Barnes stopped over on his way home from New York. Col. John C. Angier, who has been in New York with Mr. Barnes, passed through town enroute to his home in Durham.

The Associated Press correspondent seems to have gotten the facts as to the accidental shooting of Mr. Eugene T. Lee slightly mixed. His father is in receipt of the following telegram. "Son doing nicely. Shot in loin accidentally by assistant. Have written particulars." Mr. Lee hears from his son every day, and is very hopeful that the wound is not serious, as one telegram stated that Eugene would be moved to Mexico City in a few days.

Field Marshal Surles, assisted by Mr. Suggs, captured a large still a few miles from Dunn a few days ago. The still was in full blast and quite a large amount of beer and meal was found on hand. The owner and alleged operator, B. C. Lucas, was captured and brought before Commissioner Young and bound over to the Federal court under a heavy bond. Lucas was tried in the county court for a like offense several years ago and fined $1,000 and costs.

Rev. Thomas Hood, of Goldsboro, is holding a series of revival meetings at the chapel in South Dunn, and his sermons are very much appreciated by his hearers.

Rev. J. N. Cole, superintendent of the Methodist Orphanage, preached two sermons here last Sunday in the interest of his institution, and received quite a nice donation.

The Coast Line Railway is building a large cotton shed near the cotton yard, and is making many improvements on its property generally. They have recently built a sidetrack out to the new foundry building, which is being built by the John A. McKay Manufacturing Company, put up arc lights under the depot sheds and made many needed changes.

Mr. David Bryant Mills, one of Sampson's most prosperous farmers, who lives about four miles from Dunn, had the misfortune to lose his large gin and saw mill by fire a few nights ago. The origin of the fire is not known, but it is thought it caught from the boiler.

BUSY HENDERSONVILLE

New Hotel—Building Electric Line—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hendersonville, Aug. 4.—Hendersonville is to have another mammoth hotel, it is said, to be erected at Laurel Park, a private estate of wonderful natural beauty located just outside of town and owned by Mr. W. A. Smith, president of the Wanteska Trust and Banking Company.

Mr. Smith offers a free site for the hotel on a commanding eminence in the park, from which is obtained a superb view of the surrounding mountains. Capitalists have the proposition under very serious consideration and it is rumored that an authoritive announcement of their acceptance of Mr. Smith's offer, and of their plans, will be made.

If a new hotel is erected in the park it will be a building in fullest accord with its beautiful surroundings and of a sufficient size to accommodate a large number of guests. The present family hotel in the park, Laurel Park Retreat, has already turned away more than 350 would-be guests and now has a waiting list of those who seek its hospitality.

Hendersonville is now enjoying the most prosperous season in its history. It is estimated that not less than 7,000 tourists are in the city with about as many more in the country. The hotels and boarding house accommodations of the town have kept pace with its growing importance as a resort and there will be therefore no lack of suitable homes for the thousands more who will soon begin to arrive on the annual excursions.

A force of men, with many mules and scrapes, are engaged building the new electric car line, to reach from the depot to Columbia Park, a distance of about one and a half miles. The line will later be extended and it is hoped eventually it will develop into a belt line encircling the entire town.

A nest of gamblers and card sharps has been uncovered here, operating in the heart of the city. A visitor, who had been gently separated from a roll of bills amounting, he claimed, to three hundred dollars, complained to the police. No arrests were made, but the place is constantly watched by the officers. Mayor Staton gives it out straight that such gentry are really indesirable citizens in Hendersonville and will see to it that their operations here cease.

The good roads convention to be held here on August 15th, for the purpose of building the12-mile connecting line in the Asheville-Greenville Highway, has every promise of being an overwhelming success. Subscriptionse of substantial amounts are rapidly coming in and the greatest interest manifested. Prominent speakers and an excellent programme has been arranged for the meeting.

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HAPPENINGS AT WHITEVILLE.

Hookworm Treatment — Drainage Question—Chadbourn's Example.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Aug. 4.—Miss Leila Memory, who has charge of the music department of Buie's Creek Academy, and is one of Whiteville's most charming and brilliant daughters, returned last evening from a pleasant trip to Scotland county and Jackson Springs, where she went with a party of friends. Miss Annie Memory has returned from a visit to Fayetteville. Miss Annie will leave next month for Raleigh to complete her studies in college.

Hon. A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, passed through Whiteville yesterday, en route to Wananish and Wilmington. He was driving a fine motor car and stopped over long enough to shake hands with his many friends. Major McKinnon has a host of friends in our county and during his stop here was surrounded all the while. He reports Maxton as still booming.

Dr. H. B. Maxwell, who has devoted much time to study of the hookworm disease, in speaking of the sickness and death at Brunson, S. C., after taking the treatment, stated yesterday that the medicine was in no manner dangerous if taken according to directions. But it must not be mixed with food, and most especially grease, while it is poisonous to drink whiskey or beer for a while.

We had another nice shower yesterday and the clouds are still dark and lowering. Our market is abundantly supplied with vegetables and melons. New sweet potatoes are also reported.

A gentleman was in Whiteville yesterday who had just returned from an extended trip over Brunswick, New Hanover and a portion of Columbus county. He says the people are very much wrought up over the reported Bellamy-Godwin deal, and unless it is explained to their entire satisfaction, and the falsehood fixed where it belongs, both candidates will be left in the lurch next year. He says he finds everywhere Democrats demanding a direct primary, but above all they are indignant over the story that an attempt was made to put a slate ticket on them.

Hon. J. M. Shipman, one of the leading promoters in the movement to drain White Marsh, and its tributaries, was in Whiteville this week. In conversation with the Star's correspondent he said while satisfied that the drying of this swamp would be of inestimable benefit to land owners and county at large, he did not even care to benefit himself if it interfered with his neighbors. Mr. Shipman says he intends to go back home and investigate the cause of the reported trouble. He says he has some doubts about the practicability of draining the marsh by beginning work at the railroad crossing, but thinks the canal must start at the outlet of the swamp into the Waccamaw river.

Hon. F. T. Wooten was in Whiteville yesterday and says he wishes everyone could see the magnificent crops they now have around Chadbourn, the like of which he never before remembers seeing. One can already see the good effects of the drain ditches cut last Spring through cultivated land. Next year, when this important work is completed, you are gong to see all the region round about Chadbourn blossom as the rose. Those who have investigated the matter believe that every acre of land within the confines of this drainage district will more than double its yield. It is only a question of time when the whole of Columbus county will be cut up into drainage districts. That Chadbourn district will prove an object lesson to other sections.

AT MYRTLE BEACH.

Solicitor Sinclair Delighted With New South Carolina Resort.

(Fayetteville Observer.)

Solicitor N. A. Sinclair is in the city suffering, we regret to say, somewhat with malaria. After holding court at Whiteville last week, Mr. Sinclair, with Mrs. Sinclair, went down to Southport for a few days, and from there they went to Myrtle Beach in South Carolina, about which seaside resort Mr. Sinclair is greatly enthused. He says that Mr. St. John, of Southern Pines, has leased the hotel, spent a good deal of money and made of it a fine Summer public house. Last year there were only two cottages at Myrtle Beach, while this year there are 17, and the land company doing business there is selling lots rapidly. The beach is splendid for bathing and all the conditions for those seeking quietude and rest are ideal. Myrtle Beach is easy of access from Fayetteville. One can leave here on the 7 A. M. Palmetto Limited, change cars at Elrod and, going straight through, take dinner at Myrtle Beach. Or returning, he can leave there at 2:30 P. M. and reach Fayetteville on one of the A. C. L. night trains.

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No. 80, 12:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.)	No. 81, 1 a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, 15:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 16:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 58, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 13:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, * 10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 43, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

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To the Beach

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WEEK DAYS:

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6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
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Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	*5:50am. *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am *10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am *11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R.	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	8:35pm 8:00am

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Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	3:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	5:05 a. m.
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Saturday, August 5, 1911.

Where there is a will there is a lawyer's way of breaking it.

Tell a man he has a fine judgment and a woman that she has exquisite taste.

The cost of sustenance is now more worrisome than the cost of living used to be.

Living in hope: The malefactor of great wealth whose wife has become an aeroplaness.

Col. Bryan is all right when he is not wrong on things that make men want to fall down on the platform.

Your best friend will become your knocker if he is a narrow minded politician and runs for the same office you are after.

Don't make up your mind how you stand on the Senatorship till you get your eyes open on several matters that you haven't taken time to consider.

The man who believes in tariff reform just has to support the Democrats as there is no other part that offers anything at all.—Durham Herald.

Admiral Togo arrived in New York on Wednesday, but probably Congressman Hobson has picked out a sofa so he can go under it if the distinguished Japanese should start in his direction.

It must be flattering to Champ Clark to notice the persistence with which Republicans throw out the hint that it is up to the Democrats to make it unanimous as to the next occupant of the White House.

Inquires the Washington Post: "Why was Joe Bailey so anxious to have lemons put on the free list?" Gee! That was before he saw so many coming his way from thoughtless people who hand them out on the least provocation.

In a speech at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, on Thursday, the Hon. William J. Bryan reiterated his charge that Roosevelt bodily stole many of his political theories and policies. Yes, but notice what they have done to Teddy.

Representative Frank Clark, of Florida, declares that the Democratic ticket in 1912 should be Judson Harmon for President and Oscar Underwood for Vice President. However, isn't Col. Bryan acting in such a way as to qualify Oscar for first place?

Of course, it is not expected that men can go through life without fanning out occasionally. Men are bound to make mistakes in life and it is not every day that a fellow can swat the sphere. Even Ty Cobb fanned out on Wednesday at Washington, with three men on bases in the ninth inning.

Says the Petersburg Index-Appeal: "Brother Glass was called a liar by Brother McDonald Lee, and Brother McDonald Lee was called a harlequin by Brother Glass. The primary election is over a month off, so there is plenty of time for developments." In the words of a presiding judge who called down two lawyers who were villifying each other, "Why don't the gentlemen confine themselves to the undisputed facts in the case?"

Always pull for the home team or any other great institution of the town in which you live. It illustrates the manly spirit of loyalty and fidelity. When you are in the game and your lot is cast in with any town, stick to it through thick and thin. What would be thought of a man on the firing line if he were to join the rabbits in the race to the rear? Loyalty is one of the noblest traits of men. Pull for the home town.

THE GOVERNMENT BEARS.

The Agricultural Department at Washington appears to be on the bear side of the cotton market. Of course, it is to be expected that the Department shall exercise its functions of reporting on acreage and crop conditions at the proper time and in the proper way, but to all appearances there is a studied and designed purpose in certain quarters to give out information that tends to depress the price of cotton.

This is more or less characteristic of certain "officials" every season, but recent occurrences serve to make it notable. A few weeks ago reports went out from the Agricultural Department in which some official went out of his way to predict the biggest crop in the history of cotton growing. Not only what were supposed to be the facts about acreage and conditons given out, but they were accompanied by florid deductions and predictions and comments that sent the price of cotton on the downward scale, causing a slump of $2.50 or more per bale. Secretary Wilson dened responsibility for it, but it is quite manifest that somebody else connected with the Department is taking it on himself to give out bear statements as "official assurances."

The latest instance was on Thursday when an Associated Press dispatch, published in the Star yesterday morning, was sent out from Washington in such shape as to seriously disturb the price of cotton, if it can suffer further disaster, following previous reports. The dispatch published yesterday doesn't appear to be official at all, but it has sufficient official earmarks to accomplish the desired purpose. "With continued official assurances," the despatch begins, "that the 1910-11 cotton crop of the United States will be the greatest in the history of the country, there is speculation as to its total value."

Just why there should be "continued official assurances," and between times "speculations," we are at a loss to conceive, unless there is a purpose in it—that purpose being to depress the price of cotton. One is bound to be suspicious of "continued official assurances," since the information is given out at various times when there is no necessity for such reports. Such reports are superfluous since they are given out "continuously," regardless of the regular reporting periods. There is something supererorgatory about it. Somebody is working overtime. Why not let the bulls and the bears get their nformation from the regular stated reports given out officially at the regular reporting periods? Furthermore, the reports should be plain statements of a statistical character, without comments and deductions and crop boosting. Let the plain facts be stated and let the cotton men make their own deductions without "official" assistance.

Something official or semi-official goes a long ways with some people, and to all appearances that is what is aimed at in these "continued" official assurances. When such reports are given out why not state the "official" to whom we can look for responsibility? Why are not these reports given out with real offical sanction, with the actual endorsement of the Department? In fact, no other kinds of reports are really "official", but the strong probability is that the "continued official" assurances are genuine, although cloaked in general terms, with the evident intention, however, of their carrying official significance.

This latest "contnued offical assurances" goes on to figure out an anticipated crop of nearly 15,000,000 bales, which, "if sold at last year's price would foot up the enormous value of $1,000,603,000 for the South's cotton crop ths year, exceeding the record breaking cotton crop value made last year by more than $180,000,000." Then again, this alleged official assurance goes on to say that the crop this year promises to exceed the record breaking crop of 1904 by more than 1,000,000 bales, and that "if the crop this year sells at 11.05 cents a pound (the average price for the last five years) its value would be about $20,000,000 below last year's great value record."

All of this is "official" counting of chickens before they are hatched. Why all these deductions and "ifs and ands?" Why doesn't the Department at the proper, stated intervals and in the proper time and way give out the crop statistics and let everybody take a pencil and piece of paper and figure the value of the crop at a price all the way from 10 cents to 20 cents a pound, according to whether they are bulls or bears?

DRAFTING OUR NATIVES

Georgia has been caught with the goods, according to the Asheville correspondent of The Star, who states that Ty Cobb's origin has been traced to the mountains of North Carolina. That will put Georgia's nose out of joint, since her claims to the world's champion wielder of the stick at the home plate is exposed as a piece of flagrant usurpation.

Since Ty must now be convinced he was born in Cherokee county, North Carolina, why does he not come right out and say so, in order that we can keep baseball history straight? Of course, he hates to wound the sensibilities of his adopted State of Georgia, but he ought to know that "North Carolina claims her children," and would be only too proud to mark his birthplace in some suitable manner so enduring that it could not be removed by surrepticious Georgians.

This thing of purloining natives of North Carolina and passing them down to future history in order to bolster up the fame of other States has got to be stopped. You can search most every State and catch them with the goods. If all North Carolinians would only hear the "back home" call and pull up pegs and make for the native heath, it would just about play smash with the States which wish to pride themselves on famous baseball men, good United States Senators, Congressmen, governors, captains of industry, and the right kind of citizens.

We can say that if due acknowledgement of North Carolina birth is made, it will be all right. Under that circumstance North Carolina is willing to lend some of her men to struggling sister States, but if there is anything we do draw the line on it is for interlopers to come to North Carolina and make a raid on her unrivalled array of superb and beautiful girls. However, if a North Carolina girl should be coaxed into other States she will go right on singing "The Good Old North State Forever." They are out true assets and such people as come from Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia should be watched when they get a chance to carry away the natives who rush the bargain counters and furnish types for the milliners and dress makers.

Now, as to Ty Cobb, some penalty should be visited upon Georgia for showing the effrontery to lay claim to him while he is living and reflecting glory on his native State.

BLADEN'S NEWSPAPER ASSET.

The Rev. W. M. Shaw, editor of the esteemed Bladen Journal, of Clarkton, has been in the city a few days looking around and taking in the Confederate reunion. Mr. Shaw has just closed a highly successful subscription contest in the interest of the Journal, and he makes the gratifying statement that the interest and work has been such that his subscription list has been doubled. The canvass has reached every nook and corner of Bladen county, and the best of it is that the enthusiasm of its people has been aroused to the value of a good paper as a powerful factor in the development of their county. The Star is glad to see the Bladen people rallying to their county paper. It is evidence of a new awakening, and they will find it is the biggest sort of investment. The Journal is Bladen's special champion, and as for the Star, her people know it is ready to join it at any time in every kind of movement to develop that good old county, one of the choicest oases in the Nation's Garden Spot.

Mr. H. S. Shaw, principal of the Wilmington High School, is associated with hs father in editing the paper, and with a staff composed of Shaw talent and Shaw integrity, Bladen will have a paper worthy of the county and representative of its splendid people. We are willing to vouch for all the people of eastern North Carolina, and, if they will stay at home and grow up with the country, they will some of these early days find themselves in a country that is bound to witness a development that we little dream about today. Just as certain as the sun shines its matchless advantages and tremendous possibilities inevitably are bound to be recognized. By uniting our efforts and getting a move on us we can all the quicker attract the attention of others to the choice region in which our lots are so happily cast.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

Charlotte and vicinity may be a little shy on wetness, but when it comes to atmosphere and climate the wine in the air is as chilarating as the bottled smiles of French peasant girls.—Charlotte Observer.

Members of a New York crowd of five thousand fought for the first shovel of the new subway dirt Tuesday, and it is recorded that men cursed and women fainted. And that in New York, mind you, where all the brains of the earth are concentrated.—Asheville Citizen.

The recall movement in Wilmington is dead. The commissioners breathe easy again and the city feels better over deciding not to spank the fathers who are trying to make it better. The people have wisely decided not to let their separation from the dear cows and the suppression of the "old familiar juice" dispensers separate them from the commissioners.—Lumberton Robesonian.

The antipathy of the late Sir William S. Gilbert to Punch, which rejected the first and only contribution sent by him to that publication, was never overcome. Sitting at dinner next to a former editor of Punch Gilbert remarked to him: "I suppose you often have funny things sent in from outsiders?" "Heaps," said the editor. "Then why don't you put them in?" asked Gilbert. He was once standing outside his club when a stranger approached him and said: "I beg your pardon, sir, but do you happen to know a gentleman, a member of this club, with one eye called Matthews?" Sir William paused for a moment. "I can't say I do," he replied. "What is his other eye called?"—Buffalo Commercial.

Virginia and North Carolina fought the battle of Gettysburg over again in the Senate, with the usual result. Senator Martin opened the fire by declaring that there was not a single North Carolina regiment in Pickett's division, to which Senator Dixon, now of Montana, but a native of the Old North State, replied that less than 5,000 of the 15,000 men taking part in the famous charge were of Pickett's division, the rest consisting of fifteen North Carolina regiments. In accordance with precedent, the discussion broadened into a consideration of the general conduct of the troops from the two States throughout the war, in which the defender of North Carolina, conceding that most of the commanding officers came from Virginia, quoted figures that seemed to show that most of the fighting, or at least most of the dying, had been done by North Carolinians. And he wound up with the classic epigram that North Carolina was first at Bethel, farthest at Gettysburg and last at Appomattox. On the merits of so momentous a question it would be rash to speak offhand. There is no reason, however, for not expressing prompt and ungrudging appreciation of the spirit which leads our statements to devote their best energies to the issues of the hour and of the whole country instead of wasting them in vain controversy over those that are ancient or local. The Lost Cause is not altogether lost so long as it can be the inspiration of such eloquent interest in such lofty themes.—New York Post.

When it is considered that only 25 of the 425 general officers appointed in the Confederate army by President Davis are now living, the people begin to realize how few are remaining of the army that fought in behalf of the beloved Southland. Brigadier General Marcus J. Wright, of the War Department, who was himself one of them and who is believed to be the best authority upon the subject, has compiled and given for publication the following list of the living Confederate generals which includes the following:

Lieutenant general—Simon Bolivar Buckner, of Kentucky, 88 years old, living at Munfordville, Ky.

Major generals—Robert Frederick Hoke, of North Carolina, 74 years old, living at Raleigh, N. C.; George Washington Curtis Lee, of Virginia, son of General Robert E. Lee, 79 years old, living at Ravensworth, Va.; Lunsford Lindsay Lomax, of Virginia, 76 years old, living at Gettysburg, Pa., and Camillus J. Polignac, of France, now living at Radmansdorf, Podwein, Austria.

Brigadier generals—Frances Marion Cockrell, of Missouri, 77 years old, living in Washington, D. C.; William Ruffin Cox, of North Carolina, 79 years old, living at Rich mond, Va.; Julius A. DeLagnel, of Virginia, living at Alexandria, Va.; Henry B. Davidson, of Tennessee; Basill W. Duke, of Kentucky, living at Louisville, Ky.; Samuel W. Ferguson, of Mississippi, living at Greenville, Miss.; Daniel C. Govan, of Arkansas, living at Memphis, Tenn.; James M. Goggin, of Virginia; William W. Kirkland, of North Carolina; Evander McIver Law, 73 years old, of Alabama, living at Bartow, Fla.; Thomas Muldrop Logan, of South Carolina, 71 years old, living at Richmond, Va.; John McCausland, of Virginia, living at Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Danbridge McRae, of Arkansas; William McCoomb, of Tennessee; Francis Tillon Nichols, of Louisiana, 77 years old, living at New Orleans; Roger A. Pryor, of Virginia, 83 years old, living in New York City; James P. Simms, of Georgia; George Washington Gordon, of Tennessee, 75 years old, living at Memphis, Tenn.; Robert Daniel Johnston, of North Carolina, 74 years old, living at Montgomery, Ala., and Marcus Joseph Wright, of Tennessee, 80 years old, living in Washington, D. C.—Durham Sun.

"THAT LUMBER CIRCULAR."

Senator Simmons Refers More at Length to Texas Paper.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, Aug. 4.—Senator Simmons said today that his attention had been called to an article in the News and Observer of the 3rd, copied from the Dallas, Texas, News, relating to the lumber circular issued by the Democratic Executive Committee in the campaign of 1908, in which the charge is made that he controlled the North Carolina machine (meaning the Executive Committee), and that he and the organization, which he controlled, promised that they would betray the party in Congress if the lumber manufacturers would "come across" with a fat contribution, and that these manufacturers did "come across" and probably gave as a further consideration a promise to support him for re-election.

The Senator said "there is not an intelligent man in North Carolina, including the editor of the News and Observer, who does not know that I had no connection with the party organization in that election and who does not know that a majority of the committee, as then constituted, including the chairman, Mr. Eller, was hostile to me.

"If any contribution was received from the lumber people in that campaign in consideration of that circular, I know nothing about it, and have never heard of it before, and I am satisfied that no such contribution was made by them to Mr. Eller or to anyone else.

"The suggestion that the circular was issued in part in consideration of a promise of the lumber people to support me for re-election is not only false, but absurd, in view of the fact that the majority of the committee was hostile to me as before stated."

The Senator added that "it would seem that the News and Observer is muck-raking the country to find something to injure and discredit me, and does not hesitate to fill its columns with clippings from other papers containing statements with reference to me that the editor of the News and Observer must know are not true."

Fighting Like Tigers.

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ROPED TO MINISTER TO WED.

Couple Married on Pillar of Granite in Colorado.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 3.—Roped fast to the minister on top of Castle Rock, a pillar of granite 350 feet high, early today, Alfred W. Adson, a Nebraska University student, and Laura G. Smith, of Republican City, Neb., were made one by Rev. C. R. Kite, of Boulder.

In automobiles at the foot of the rock were 12 witnesses to the ceremony, who dared not scale the rock and could not have found standing room on the summit had they ascended.

Not waiting to cast off the rope before the knot was tied Adson and his wife descended and with their friends came here for the wedding breakfast.

BROKE ARTILLERY RECORD.

Fine Marksmanship Displayed Near San Diego, Cal.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 4.—The 115th Company of Coast Artillery at ten-inch gun practice here yesterday blew its target out of water at 8,500 yards with the fifth shot, and had to stop.

Col. Fred K. Marsh, of the department of coast defense, expressed belief that all practice records for 10-inch guns at that range had been broken.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The farmers' free list bill was sent to conferese today by the Senate after refusing to accept the house amendment placing lemons on the free list. Senators Penrose, Cullom, LaFollette, Bailey and Simmons were named conferees. They are also on the wool bill conferences, of which the free list conference will be virtually an extension.

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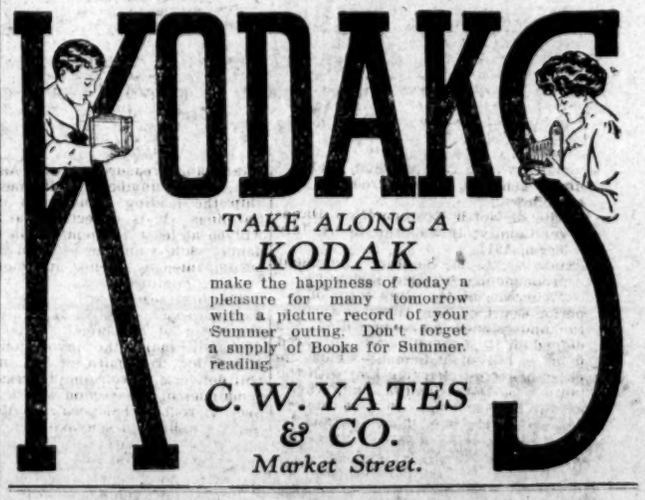

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DEATH SENTENCE PRONOUNCED

Friday, October 13th, Fixed as Date of Electrocution of L. M. Sandlin, Wife Murderer—Showed no Emotion.

Standing steady and erect, with eyes gazing fixedly at the court, with never the slightest manifestation of nervousness, apparently as indifferent to what was taking place as it is possible for a person to be, L. M. Sandlin, convicted in Superior Court of the murder of his wife, yesterday morning heard the death sentence pronounced upon himself by Judge E. B. Cline, of Hickory, who fixed Friday, October 13th next, as the date of the electrocution at the State penitentiary at Raleigh.

The intense silence of the few seconds immediately following the reading of the death sentence by Capt. W. N. Harriss, deputy Clerk of Superior Court, was broken by the prisoner himself who stated in clear and distinct tone, "God's will be done, not mine." The voice of the prisoner penetrated every nook and corner of the court room. It was a dramatic moment. These were the first and only words he has spoken in public during the consideration of his case in court.

Sandlin was already in the prisoner's box when court convened at 10 o'clock and 10 minutes later Sheriff Cowan was instructed by Judge Cline to escort the prisoner within the railing, where he was given a seat directly in front of the judge's desk and not more than six feet away. The crowds in the court room surged toward the railing in order to catch every word to be uttered by Judge Cline and to watch the effect upon the prisoner. As soon as every one had been seated by Sheriff Cowan, acting upon the orders of the court, Sandlin was commanded to stand up. He held his hat in his left hand and gazed directly at Judge Cline. His gaze shifting a few times, but not for any length of time.

Judge Cline told the condemned man that the court approached the duty with deep regret and sympathy and stated that the ordeal would be made as short as possible. "The Anglo-Saxon people," he said, "have decreed in their laws from the earliest history that one guilty of the crime of murder should suffer the penalty of death." This law has never changed, despite the advances of civilization and work of statesmen and humanitarians. It has been modified to the different degrees and the court stated that the prisoner had the benefit of such instructions to the jury. The prisoner had the benefit of the efforts of able counsel, who put forth every effort in his behalf. A body of 12 fair-minded jurymen had heard the evidence and had returned a first degree verdict. Nothing remained but for the court to pronounce sentence accordingly.

"Your crime," continued the court, "was one which was recognized and ought to receive the abhorrence of all good men. It was an extreme case of deliberate and premeditated murder. It was the more to be condemned as it constituted not only a violation of the State law, but when you slew your wife you left children orphans whom it was your duty to protect and to support. The law of the State requires men, its sworn officer, to carry out its mandate, no matter how appalling the task seems. It requires to do so, and I do pronounce sentence of death upon you as fixed by the statute of the State."

He told the prisoner that he had a right to appeal to Supreme Court and that he was glad he had, for he would not like to see his life forfeited until he had been given every consideration the law provides. However, Judge Cline admonished the prisoner not to attach too much hope to the appeal, for the failure to obtan a new trial might come as a bitter disappointment to him. In conclusion, he told the condemned man that it would be better for him to turn his thoughts and to place his hope in Him who can keep our feet from falling and our souls from death.

Capt. W. N. Harriss then read the death sentence as required by law, as follows:

"State of North Carolina, New Hanover County; In Superior Court, July Term, 1911.

"State vs. L. M. Sandlin. Judgment pronouncing sentence of death:

"Whereas, at this July term of Superior Court of New Hanover County, the undersigned judge presiding, the defendant L. M. Sandlin was duly tred unon a bill of indictment which appears of record charging him with the murder of Dora Sandlin, and, whereas, the jury in open court, the defendant being in court in person and by his attorney, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., rendered a verdict as appears of record, finding the defendant, the said L. M. Sandlin, guilty of murder in the first degree.

"It is now therefore considered, adjudged and ordered by the court that the death sentence be and same is hereby pronounced on the sad L. M. Sandlin; and it is further considered, adjudged and ordered that the said L. M. Sanlin be taken by the sheriff of New Hanover county and delivered to the authorities of the State penitentiary at Raleigh as is required by Chapter 443 of the Public Laws of North Carolina Session of 1909, and that on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1911, A. D., the said defendants, L. M. Sandlin, be electrocuted and killed by electricity, as is provided in said Chapter 443 of the said acts of the General Assembly of North Carolina for the year 1909, A. D.

"E. B. CLINE,
"Judge Presiding."

It was at the conclusion of the reading of the sentence that the most dramatic incident of the morning occurred, when Sandlin held his right hand aloft and declared in a loud and clear tone, "God's will be done, not mine." When he had said this Sandlin sank in his chair. He placed his head in his left hand, was covering his face as he leaned forward. This attitude of the prisoner caused some to think that his iron nerve and resolution at the crucial point had forsaken him. But not so. The rumbling of a street car was heard outside. Sandlin removed his hand from his face and straightened up in his chair, his manner being the same as it has been throughout the ordeal of the trial.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., counsel for Sandlin, made the usual motions that the verdict be set aside and new trial granted, being overruled by Judge Cline. Notice of appeal to Supreme Court was given and the court stated that the defendant would not be required to give the appeal bond.

Sandlin was carried back to jail. If his appeal is not heard in Supreme Court before the date of electrocution, the appeal will act as a stay of the sentence.

Franklin Howard, colored, was granted a divorce from his wife, Maggie Howard. Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., represented the plaintiff. A mistrial resulted in the case of Mary Jane Faircloth, colored, against her husband, Mack Faircloth, an action for a divorce. R. F. Brooks, Esq., represented the plaintiff, and J. H. Scull, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

The term of court is practically at an end. Judge Cline will be here today, however, and may probably be called upon to sign some judgments or hear some motions.

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BEACH HOTELS STILL CROWDED

Week-End Excursion Over Seaboard From Atlanta and Southern Points Brought 125 People to Resort Yesterday.

Although the weather was decidedly inclement yesterday, the regular week-end excursion over the Seaboard from Atlanta and points south, brought to Wrightsville Beach over 125 visitors, who are now guests at the Seashore and Oceanic Hotels and are enjoying the many pleasures the resort affords.

Both hotels are still crowded and from the reservations on hand indications point to a continued steady patronage until late in the season.

Among the arrivals yesterday are the following: At the Oceanic Hotel: I. M. Lewenthal, Atlanta; Mrs. Gramelle Beal, Mrs. Joseph Hucks, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Burris, Calhoun Falls, S. C.; E. H. Clark, Birmingham; Miss Annette Kelly, Miss Delia Kelly, Monticello, Ga.; W. R. Campbell, T. P. Hibbler, Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harney, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Herman Blier, Miss Mamie Blier, Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Snead, Miss Bessie Bohanon, Greenville; Miss Gertrude Tilton, Fall City, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Cole, Fairmont; Mrs. L. C. Ausby, Miss Ausby, Halifax; C. B. Reynolds and son, Atlanta; Mrs. J. R. M. Dillon, Mrs. C. R. Dillon, Clarkton; Mrs. W. M. Winter, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bennett, R. L.Brooks, Miss Mattie Brooks, Miss Ruth Harbin, C. R. Raven, T. E. Cook, Atlanta; C. Z. Hornaday, Buena Vista, Ga.; O. R. Starwell, J. W. Wallace, O. D. Calloway, A. E. Hutchinson, Rutledge, Ga.; M. W. Reid, Atlanta; Mrs. Newton Paisley, Birmingham; Miss Louise Hibbler, Miss Mary E. Hall, E. W. Scott, Miss Erma Scott; Birmingham; Paul J. Martin, Augusta; R. W. Brow, Providence, R. I.; Geo. A. Shade, New York; R. L. Duke, Atlanta.

At the Seashore Hotel the following were among yesterday's arrivals: Miss Louise Power, Mrs. M. D. Browne, Savannah; Mrs. J. G. Camp, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Newkirk, Willard, N. C.; Manlius O., C. A. Shore, Raleigh; St. P. Crane, St. Charles, La.; W. N. Carroll, Washington, D. C.; C. C. Carroll, Warsaw; R. L. Herring, Warsaw; L. M. Carroll, Washington, D. C.; Jas. F. Borden, Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Garman, Jasper, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McLemore, Miss Louise Richer, Birmingham; R. A. Mayer, Chattanooga; Mrs. Frank Palmer, Miss May Quinney, Clifford Quinney, A. T. Murphy, Waynesboro; J. T. Jennings, Atlanta; Miss Gertrude Hayes, Miss Helen Hayes, Chattanooga; S. R. Forsyth, W. H. Moore, J. H. Ward, Jr., Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Orr, Hartsville, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sumner, Union, S. C.; Miss Sarah Aruall, Miss Martha Glover, Birmingham; Mrs. Z. Greene, Newman, Ga.; Jack W. Johnson, Cerry Johnson, Miss Dorthy Johnson, Josephus Johnson, Birmingham; Mrs. J. W. Tifley, Miss Helen Sibbey, Mrs. Craig Sturges, Miss Mary Larcy, Nessmer, Ala.; A. O. Moore, Louisville, Ky.; A. F. Howard, R. F. Phillips, Monticello, Ga.; W. H. Kirkland, Atlanta; Miss Jennie Jones, Miss Alma Jones, A. W. McFadden, Viola McFadden, Mrs. W. B. McFadden, Miss Lilly Clifton, Mrs. R. L. Court, Fort Laws, S. C.; J. K. Riggs, Asheville; J. W. Morton, Baltimore; J. A. Meadows, New York; Jackson Greer, Mss Gladys Greer, Whiteville; Miss Rena Hayes, Whiteville; S. Vaughn, Rocky Mount.

LAUNDRYMEN TO GATHER

Will Meet at Seashore Hotel Monday and Tuesday of Next Week.

The Laundrymen's Association of the Carolinas will gather Monday and Tuesday of next week in anual session at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, and the indications are that there will be a very large attendance. Mr. F. D. Lethco, of Charlotte, is president and Mr. H. A. Smith, of Florence, S. C., is secretary and treasurer of the Association, which numbers in its membership the leading laundrymen of the Carolinas. It is expected that there will be at least 75 members in attendance, while a number of them will be accompanied by friends and members of their families.

The first session will be held Monday morning. Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector of St. James' parish, this city, will make the invocation, and Mayor Jos. D. Smith, of Wilmington, will deliver the welcome address. The remainder of the session will be given over to routine business and Monday night a delightful souvenir dance will be given in honor of the visitors.

Tuesday morning the delegates are to enjoy a deep sea fishing trip and the same night in the dining room of the Seashore Hotel, a typical sea-food supper will be served. The delegates for the convention are expected to begin arriving tomorrow and tomorrow night.

Lawn Party Postponed.

The lawn party advertised by the Parish Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd for last evening at Fourth and Castle streets, has been postponed until this afternoon from 4 to 9 o'clock, weather permitting.

OUTRAGEOUSLY ASSAULTED

Assistant Engineer at Plate Ice Company Set Upon by Highwaymen. Left for Dead—Money and Watch Taken.

Badly beaten in the face, sandbagged, robbed and otherwise roughly used by two or more negro highwaymen who relieved him of $5 in money and his watch, Mr. Harry Fisher, about 25 years of age, who recently came to Wilmington to take a position as assistant engineer with the Plate Ice Co., was found bleeding and unconscious near the gate of the plant at Hilton shortly after midnight yesterday morning by a bridge tender at the railroad bridge who was on his way to his home in the city after being relieved at the bridge at 12 o'clock.

Mr. Fisher had lain in the road near the entrance to the ice plant since between 6:30 and 7 o'clock in the evening, when he had started from the city to the factory to take up his duties as night engineer. Fellow employes at the plant were notified of the condition of the engineer and he was taken in the office and Dr. C. D. Bell summoned as speedily as possible. It was some time before he could be brought around all right and even yesterday he was still dazed from the blow with a sandbag and the other injuries inflicted. He was removed to his boarding house at No. 410 North Front street and was able to give only a partially connected story of the robbery. He stated that he was on his way to his work and was about to enter the enclosure of the plant when two negroes grabbed his arms from behind and one apparently approached him from the front and began to beat him in the face. Later he was struck with the sandbag, evidently from behind, after which he knew no more. His arms yesterday were black and blue, evidencing the fact that before he was overcome, he put up a manful fight with the highwaymen, who evidently left him for dead. His pockets were cut and otherwise he was badly disheveled when he was picked up. Dr. Bell stated yesterday that while Mr. Fisher's wounds were not serious, they were quite severe and it would be several days before he would be himself again. While he was being resuscitated at the factory yesterday morning, he fought those about him viciously, evidently being under the misapprehension that the highwaymen were still upon him.

The robbery was reported at once to both city and county officials and every effort will be made to apprehend the guilty parties. Mr. Fisher only recently came to Wilmington and has made many friends by his quiet, gentlemanly behavior and his strict devotion to duty. His employers, the Messrs. Parsley, speak in the highest terms of him and will exhaust every effort to bring the guilty parties to account for their outrageous assault. The robbery, following the shooting of a negro to death in the same vicinity a few days ago and the attempt to wreck a Coast Line shifting train day before yesterday, emphasizes the need of some police protection in that vicinity. The territory is within the city limits, property there is taxed for police and fire protection and it is hoped that no further argument will be required before the city council to ensure an abatement of the lawless condition that seems to obtain therein, especially at night.

Chief of Police Fowler stated yesterday that he had the situation under consideration and with Councilman Moore, in charge of Public Safety, and that something would be done to alleviate conditions in that vicinity.

AT MARINE HOSPITAL

Dr. Gardenr Leaves for Vacation—Dr. Wessell is Acting Surgeon.

Friends will be glad to know that Dr. C. H. Gardner, surgeon in charge of the Marine Hospital, and his little son, have so far recovered from their recent attacks of fever as to be able to leave yesterday afternoon for Hendersonville, N. C., where they will recuperate for several weeks. During the absence of Dr. Gardner, Dr. John C. Wessell, of this city, has been appointed acting assistant surgeon in charge of the U. S. Marine Hospital and is giving a part of his time each day to the position, both at the hospital and at the U. S. Custom House. This is a high compliment to Dr. Wessell and it is safe to say that the work will not suffer durmg Dr. Gardner's absence.

FUNERAL OF LITTLE GIRL.

Remains of Mary Josephine Corbett Laid to Rest.

The funeral of little Miss Mary Josephine Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett, whose death occurred Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock after an illness of weeks of typhoid fever, was held from the family residence to St. Thomas Catholic church and then to Oakdale cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Father Dennen conducted the services.

Interment was in Oakdale cemetery and numerous beautiful floral designs covered the grave, mute testimonials of the love of the many friends of the little girl and those of her parents.

Kansas City, Aug. 4.—Honors in the championship doubles of the Missouri Valley championship tennis tournament were won today by J. H. Winston and R. G. Whitehead, of Norfolk, Va., who defeated Roland Hoerr and Wyatt Brodix, of St. Louis, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

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CASES BEFORE THE RECORDER

Two Negroes Held for Higher Court for Attempting to Wreck Train —Boy Mitchell Gets Twelve Months.

There were more than the usual number of cases in the Recorder's court yesterday morning and the session was somewhat interesting. The principal defendants were Golden Murray and Louis Belden, colored, the latter only 15 years old, charged with attempting to wreck a train by placing an obstruction on the tracks, the alleged offense having been committed at Hilton Lumber Co., plant Thursday afternoon. The defendants are said to have placed a piece of timber across the rails on a spur track running to the lumber company from the Coast Line tracks.

Probable cause being found and the offense not in the jurisdiction of the Recorder, the defendants were bound to the next term of Superior Court, bond being fixed at $250 each, in default of which they went to jail.

Another case of some interest was one in which Boy Mitchell, colored, was charged with the larceny of a ham from the store of R. S. Jervey, corner Seventh and Nun streets. He was found guilty and given 12 months on the roads, from which he took appeal to Superior Court through his counsel, John D. Bellamy & Son. Mitchell has been in trouble several times his most common offense being larceny. Henry McNeill, a companion of Mitchell, who was arrested at the same time, was found not guilty of a charge of vagrancy. Frank Cowan, who is younger than either of the other two, with whom he associated, arrested the same night, will be tried this morning on a charge of stealing $60 from his grandfather.

Tom Black, colored, was required to pay costs for assault with deadly weapon on Robert Moore, colored, while Moore paid $10 and costs for assault on Black. B. W. Melton, a white man, paid the costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. John Day, a white man, was found not guilty of interfering with an officer in the discharge of his duties. Pet O'Neill, colored, was required to pay $5 and costs for assault on a female. Nora Yates, a white woman, was up on the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. She was sentenced to 30 days on the county farm, judgment suspended upon the condition that she not appear before the court again on a similar charge. Richard Brown, a 15-year-old white boy, was required to pay costs in case against him for indecent exposure. He went in bathing in the Cape Fear river and it was while he was exchanging his bath suit for his clothes that he was seen by the officer, who placed him under arrest.

JULY WAS GOOD MONTH.

Recorder's Court Brought in Revenue of Over $800.

The report of Mr. F. T. Skipper, clerk of the Recorder's court, for the month of July makes a good showing for the institution in the way of fines and costs collected and aggregate sentences imposed upon defendants. The fines and forfeitures for the month amounted to $452.30, and costs, $389.75, a total of $842.05. With few exceptions this is the largest revenue for any month since the establishment of the court over two years ago. Last October the fines and costs amounted to nearly $1,000, and one or two other times the amount was above what it was last month. There were 157 cases tried; 116 convictions; 17 not guilty or dismissed; six nol pros with leave; four judgment suspended; two sent to Clerk Superior Court to be examined for sanity; three sent to Superior Court for lack of jurisdiction; nine appeals to Superior Court.

Sentences aggregating seven years and ten months were imposed on defendants, while one year and seven months is the aggregate to the county farm.

In this connection the report of the Recorder's court for Winston, a smaller town with 50 more cases for trial and jurisdiction of court not extending outside of the city, where there were 209 cases before the court:

"The report of Mr. W. T. Penry, clerk of the municipal court of the city of Winston, which will be submitted to the board of aldermen at the regular monthly meeting Friday night, shows that during the month of July the fines imposed together with the costs amounted to $1,277.25. Mr. Penry has collected $1,290.83 during the month.

"The report shows that there were a total of 209 arrests made, and of these there were 130 convictions. There were 50 of the cases dismissed, seven nol prossed, nine continued for judgment, five found to the Superior Court, eight appealed to the Superior Court and 36 persons were sent to the county roads.

"The fines imposed aggregate $430. The judge's costs amounted to $151.20; clerk's costs, $193.50; solicitor's fees, $256; officer's costs, $205.25; and jail fees $40.80."

His 82nd Anniversary.

Mrs. U. M. Watters, of Wilmington, a daughter, and Messrs. B. F. and Kenneth Merritt, Mrs. L. Hollingsworth, Eure Merritt and Wilie Watters, grandchildren, all of this city, have returned from Magnolia, R. F. D. No. 2, where on last Saturday they attended the 82nd anniversary of the birth of Mr. B. Watters, of that place. There were about 80 relatives and friends present and partook of a most bountiful dinner served from a large table under the stately oaks around the home. There were present 20 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Mr. C. H. Belvin Bereaved.

Mr. C. H. Belvin, of this city, received a long distance telephone message yesterday afternoon conveying to him the sad intelligence of the death of his father, Mr. O. W. Belvin, which occurred at his home in Raleigh yesterday afternoon, after an illness of some time. Mr. Belvin left on the 7 o'clock train last night for Raleigh to attend the funeral, which will be held today. Mr. Belvin was 66 years old. Friends in this city will sympathize with Mr. C. H. Belvin in the death of his father.

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COAST ARTILLERY PRACTICE

Wilmington Light Infantry Will Leave Monday Afternoon for Ft. Caswell—Order No. 14 Issued Yesterday—Details.

The companies of the North Carolina National Guard, forming the Coast Artillery Reserves, will on Monday begin their movement for the annual maneuvers at Fort Caswell, pursuant to general orders previously issued from headquarters in Raleigh and referred to in the Raleigh dispatches in today's paper. The Wilmington Light Infantry, or Second Company, C. A. C., N. C. N. G., as it is officially known, will leave on the steamer Madeleine Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, according to Order No. 14, issued by Capt. E. A. Metts, yesterday. The order covering the movement is as follows:

"Armory, 2nd Co. C. A. C., N. C. N. G., Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 1, 1911.

"Order No. 14.

"The company will form at this armory at 10 o'clock, August 7th, 1911, preparatory to leaving for camp. Noon day meal will not be provided. The Q. M. Steamer Madeleine will provide transportation for company to Fort Caswell, N. C. Steamer will leave her dock at 2 o'clock.

"The following uniform and equipment are prescribed and the company will be inspected at one hour before leaving the armory by commanding officer to see that these instructions are carried out in detail:

"One O. D. cap; one O. D. shirt; one kahki breeches; one pair leggins; one campaign hat; one pair blue overall trousers; one blue overall blouse; one pair white gloves; one blanket; one poncho; one shelter half complete; one cot, gun, bayonet and equipment complete.

"No additional personal property shall be allowed except on permission of the commanding officer.

One non-commissioned officer will be in charge of each tent and its occupants. He will be held personally responsible for the police of the tent, the ground immediately surrounding, and the behavior of its occupants while therein or in the company street. He will see that the walls are raised at fatigue call in the morning and lowered in the afternoon at retreat, if the weather is inclement.

"Each non-commissioned officer will select four tent mates and hand their names into the first sergeant before leaving the armory.

"The rifle, bayonet, scabbard will be cleaned with the greatest care in view of the fact that the organization will be subjected to inspection by a United States Army officer at any time and especially at muster, which may be the day after arrival at camp.

"Sergeants in charge of sections will see that the blanket roles and appearance of their men is neat, and the roles are properly made.

"The uniform for the day, August 7th, 1911, will be O. D. cap, O. D. shirt, regulation black tie, Kahki trousers, leggins and tan shoes.

"Advance detail will consist of the following:

"Q. M. Sergeant Peschau, Corporal Ashe and Privates Hayden and Westbrook. They will leave here on the government boat Sunday, August 6th, at 2 P. M., and will report to Lieut. Shaver, either on boat or at Fort Caswell for instructions. In view of the reputation this command has enjoyed in the past, the esprit de corp that exists among the members of the natural desire to secure favorable criticism from outsiders, especially the officers of the regular army, the commanding officer appeals to each and every man, to their pride and their love for what is right in a military way to assist him in carrying these and all orders issued to him.

By order of E. A. METTS,
Capt. C. A. C., N. C. N. G.
Commanding 2nd Co.

VERY HEAVY RAINFALL

Precipitation Heaviest Since 1887—General Throughout the State

Rains throughout North Carolina the past 24 hours have been very general and the droughts that have threatened the proper maturity of crops in a number of counties and the water supply of several cities is effectively broken. Many sections of the State were visited by heavy rainfalls Thursday and Thursday night and the precipitation in this section of the Carolinas came yesterday, the rainfall here for the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock last night having been 1.83 inches, the greatest in 24 hours since 1887. Last night at 8 o'clock it was raining in Asheville and Atlanta, cloudy at Charleston and Charlotte, while heavy rainfalls Thursday night were reported as follows: Charlotte 1:84, Cheraw, S. C., 1.90, Camak, Ga., 1.30 and Griffin, Ga., 1.70. Throughout this section yesterday the heaviest falls were reported and all trains in and out of Wilmington were operated with extreme caution yesterday to prevent the possibility of running into wash-outs. The weather predictions for today are showers "Saturday and Sunday with not much change in temperature."

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MOST SEVERE CASE YET.

Boy Suffering With Hookworm Infection at Marine Hospital.

What Dr. Stiles considers the severest case of the hookworm disease he has ever seen, is being treated at the Marine Hospital here, where Dr. Stiles is conducting a series of experiments and making scientific investigations into the nature of the malady.

The patient is a 16-year-old boy, whose weight is only 62 pounds. The case was brought here on request of Dr. Ferrell, of the State Board of Health, in the hope that the skilled care and attention that could be given the lad here would save his life. The boy was brought to one of the field hospitals now being operated in the State by the board of health, and his condition was such that it was thought best not to give him the regular treatment. Much smaller doses than usual were administered and Dr. Ferrel at once wrote asking that the case be admitted to the Marine Hospital here where there are so many more facilities for handling a difficult case of this nature. The boy was brought to Wilmington on the midnight train Wednesday and was taken at once to the hospital on a stretcher.

He is said to be the most severe case of the hookworm infection ever found in North Carolina, and possibly other States. At the hospital various microscopic tests have been made and by means of these it is shown that counting perfect health as 100 the boy makes a score of only 14. Had the case been allowed to continue death would have necessarily resulted soon. At the hospital the case is being followed very closely, and while no definite statements have been made it is thought by the physicians that the boy's life can be saved.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Carrie Newkirk left Thursday for western North Carolina where she will spend her vacation.

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Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Mary Horton has gone to Wrightsville Beach to visit relatives."

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Yesterday's Charlotte News: "Mr. L. H. Skinner and family, of Wilmington, passed this way en route to the mountains."

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Miss Mary Horton, Miss Annie Horton and Miss Peckham, all of Raleigh, are visiting Mrs. S. P. Cowan, on Greenville Sound.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wood and Mr. J. Russell Wood, of Wilmington, are now at the Hotel Balsam, Balsam, N. C., having a very enjoyable time.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Misses Mary and Louise Worth, of Wilmington, and Miss Ethel Miller, of Goldsboro, are visiting Mrs. C. C. McAlister."

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Pittsboro Record: "Mrs. A. M. Haughton and Miss Nettie Haughton left Monday on a short visit to the former's sister, Mrs. Mary C. James, at Wilmington."

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Rev. J. A. Baldwin, of Charlotte, one of the best known Methodist ministers in the Piedmont section of the State, was here yesterday on his way to Southport. He was accompanied by Mrs. Baldwin and child.

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Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, returned yesterday from Boston, Mass., where he spent his annual vacation of a month. Mrs. Crowley, who accompanied him, will not return until the first of September.

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Misses Susan W. Banks, Helen Telford, Lillian and Pauline Burns, of Atlanta, arrived yesterday to spend some time at Wrightsville Beach as guests at the Georgia Cottage. Misses Banks and Telford were visitors at the beach last season.

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Mr. R. M. Shepard, of this city, has secured through Mr. A. D. Wessell, Jr., local agent for the North German Lloyd Steamship Co., of New York, choice staterooms on the fast mail steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II from New York City August 8th at 10 A. M. for Plymouth, England. Accompanied by Mrs. Shepard and Oscar Pearsall, Jr., Mr. Shepard will visit London and other places of interest in England, thence to Paris, Holland and Germany and return from Bremen September 5th on a steamer of the same line.

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DELIGHTFUL BOAT PARTY AT WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

One of the most delightful social events of the season at Wrightsville Beach was given at the Oceanic Hotel last night in the form of a boating party by Mr. W. A. Nicholson, of Charlotte, in honor of little Miss Ruth Porter, mascot of Mecklenburg Camp, United Confederate Veterans, who accompanied the camp to Wilmington for the State reunion just ended. The party took safe and delightful passage in The Atlanta, Capt. Walter Marine, and a delightful evening was spent. Refreshments were served and it was nearly 11 o'clock when the party returned to the hotel.

Among those in the party were Miss Lula Harris, Concord; Miss McDougald, Statesville; Miss Hornaday, Atlanta; Miss Bain, Birmingham; Miss Loma Alexander, Monroe; Mr. Wm. Kincaid, Charlotte; Mr. E. H. McAllister, Charlotte; Mr. Milton Gore, Wrightsville Beach. The party was delightfully chaperoned by Mrs. Bain, of Birmingham, and Gen. P. C. Carlton, of Statesville.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. S. A. Dowless, of Carver's Creek, was among the business visitors to the city yesterday.

—Mr. G. A. McCallum, of Griffin, Ga., a popular traveling man, is spending his vacation at Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. M. O. Alexander, the clever young associate secretary of Wilmington Y. M. C. A., left yesterday morning for his home near Spartanburg, S. C., to spend a two weeks' vacation.

—The Star yesterday had the pleasure of a call from two popular newspaper men, now of Griffin, Ga.—Mr. R. L. Duke, city editor of the News and Sun and correspondent of the Atlanta Constitution, and Mr. W. H. McCallum, formerly of the Birmingham, Ala., Ledger, but now engaged in the wholesale grocery business. They came in with the Atlanta excursionists to spend a while at the beach.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Services at Immanuel Presbyterian Church tomorrow, morning and evening, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley.

—Mr. L. J. Merriman, who has been sick at his residence, No. 5 Church street, since July 11th, is still confined to his bed, but is now convalescent, and his physician thinks he will be able to be out in a few days, friends will be glad to learn.

—Annie C. Howard, colored, wife of James E. Howard, the well known janitor of the Custom House, died yesterday at her home, No. 906 South Fifth street. She was a highly respected colored woman and was well liked by the members of both races in the city. The funeral arrangements had not been made yesterday.

—A dwelling house on Second and Davis streets, owned by Mr. Geo. W. Kidder, and occupied by Mary Wright, colored, was damaged by fire yesterday evening. The alarm came in at 6:15 P. M., and the prompt response by the fire department was the means of saving the structure. It was stated that the blaze was caused by a defective flue.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: John D. Bellamy and wife to Mrs. Rosa L. Morrison, wife of W. R. Morrison, of Wilmington, for $2,800, lot on east side of Front, 99 feet south of Walnut street, 33x165 feet in size; Jennie R. Allen to Theodore Schraeder and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Tenth, 50 feet north of Chesnut street.

NEED OF SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Emphasized at Meeting Called to Consider Question Last Night—Propositions of Sewerage Company Presented.

Nearly 100 representative citizens, men who pay a big portion of the taxes of the city, or represent interests that do, and who are vitally concerned in the future development of Wilmington, as well as its present needs, met in the Court House last night in response to a call of the City Council for a mass meeting to discuss the perplexing sewerage question, some definite decision in which will most likely be reached in a few weeks at the outside. The purpose of the meeting was to secure some expression from the people as to what action they would like for the Council to take in the matter.

The question was considered from several angles and also discussed in connection with the water supply and the reputed pollution of the water at times. The proposition of the Wilmington Sewerage Co. was also attractively presented to the meeting and discussed. The Councilmen probably gathered information from the talks which will be of benefit to them in further consideration of the question during the next few days. Mayor Joseph D. Smith called the meeting to order and stated its purpose. The four Councilmen were also in attendance. Mr. D. C. Love was called to the chair and presided over the meeting. First to be heard from were Messrs. W. B. D. Smith, president of the Municipal Utilities Co., of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mr. George Brown, the trust officer of the Bucks County Trust Co., of Doylestown, Pa., who are members of a committee of three which has charge of the operation of the plant for bondholders. They stated that Iredell Meares, Esq., of this city, is attorney for the bondholders, and the propositions made by him were for the bondholders, who are in a position to carry them out.

Mr. Meares was next called upon, and he set forth the propositions of the company, which has been published in the papers several times. The first is to sell the existing plant to the city at $160,000, or if city is not satisfied the plant is worth this amount company is willing to submit question to arbitration, the city to select one capable sewerage engineer, the company another, and the two to select a third, both the city and company agreeing to be bound by the appraisal of the engineers, regardless of what it might be, $10,000 or $200,000, it makes no difference. If neither of the two propositions is satisfactory, the company would put its plant at $160,000 in a new scheme, and agree to build a complete system where there are water mains for a total cost of $350,000, it being estimated that in addition to present plant it would take $190,000 to sewer all the outlying districts. This would give about 45 or 50 miles of sewerage in the city, including the old plant. The company would furnish the money and let the city have considerable time in which to pay off the indebtedness. The work would be done under the supervision of an engineer to be mutually agreed upon. For the first five years the city would be required to pay to a trustee annually an amount equal to the interest on the investment, or about $17,000 a year, and after that period to pay $10,000 a year on the principal. Mr. Meares estimates that the plant would pay for itself.

He said the company would agree to enlarge the plant for itself, but for the fact that the corporation would have no power to compel connections with the system, whereas the city has this power and can force everybody to have sewerage connection with a municipal system.

"If you don't like either one of the three propositions, then the Wilmington Sewerage Co. asks to be let alone," said Mr. Meares. The property is now being operated by the bondholders, and Mr. Meares declared that it is becoming more valuable each year.

Mr. T. W. Wood interrupted Mr. Meares to say that he had received a letter from a person connected with installing the existing system to the effect that the paint cost only $65,000. Mr. Meares said he would pay the expenses of the man to come to Wilmington and demonstrate the truthfulness of the assertion. He went further; he said the man that made such a statement was a liar, and that if it could be shown that the system cost only $65,000, then the company would give the plant.

Mr. Meares estimated that the cost of an entirely new system in acordance with the plans drawn and accepted by the State Board of Health would cost $284,000. The system itself, $251,000 and the lateral connections $33,000. This estimate of the engineer—he quoted Mr. Anderson, formerly of Hazelhurst & Anderson, which drew plans for the proposed system—is for a plant of 36 miles of sewer. The present plant is 23 miles. The proposed municipal plant would cover the same territory as is served by the Wilmington Sewerage Co., for 23 miles of it, leaving only 13 miles which could be laid in the outlying districts for the amount estimated. Mr. Meares said that Mr. Anderson told him that he did not think the existing system could be replaced for $200,000.

In conclusion, Mr. Meares said that his company had offered to sell at $4.80 a mile with all lateral connections; less per mile than a new system could possibly be installed, and that if the city would try to drive the company out he had just enough pride in his city to fight the case through the United States Supreme Court. Here he referred to the fact that a city in Alabama tried to force out a similar corporation, the case being taken to the Supreme Court, and finally settled by arbitration, as is now proposed to settle the sewerage question. He thought that if the third proposition is accepted in 30 days that the city will have a complete sewerage system by next Spring.

Mr. S. Behrends thought the city could get the money easily enough, although there is now available for the proposed municipal sewerage system only $135,000 or $140,000 left from the bond issue for water and sewerage. He said if the Councilmen did not want to shoulder the responsibility of handling the question, let them call an election for an expresion.

Dr. G. G. Thomas, formerly chairman of the State Board of Health, considered the fourth proposition suggested by Mr. Meares the solution of the problem. That is, let the sewerage company continue to operate in the city and extend its service so the city may use any money it may have to move the intake of the water works system to a point just above Castle Haynes, on the Northeast river. The cost, he said, would be about $200,000, exclusive of right of way and auxiliary plant at Castle Haynes. In reply to a question from Mr. T. W. Wood, he mentioned two or three bored wells which have been condemned. Dr. Thomas thought something should be done to do away with the widespread dissatisfaction of the water supply here.

Mr. J. S. Funchess spoke about the water, making the point that the city furnishes water and makes the consumer pay for it, yet the city warns the citizens against using the water unless it is boiled.

Mr. J. A. Taylor took issue with Dr. Thomas, stating that the people had voted for both water and sewerage systems and that it is what they should be given. The propositions of the sewerage company seemed to him to be fair. Mr. Taylor asked Mr. Meares if, in the event the city accepted the third proposition, would his company be willing to submit to arbitration the valuation of the existing plant, and Mr. Meares replied that the members of the committee had already considered the question and he thought they would, provided the city would agree to be bound by the report of the engineers selected. Mr. Taylor urged that now is the time for the sewerage question to be settled so that the streets will not have to be torn up again to lay sewer pipes.

Others making short talks were: Messrs. T. W. Wood, R. A. Brand, L. B. Rogers, Thos. E. Wallace and Councilman M. G. Tiencken. The meeting adjourned at 10:30 o'clock.

NAVAL LIEUTENANT SUICIDES.

Chas. E. Brillhart Shoots Self In Hotel in New York.

New York, August 3.—Lieutenant Charles E. Brillhart, of the United States navy, was found dead from a bullet wound in his room at the Hotel Astor late today. There was no circumstances to contradict the coroner's immediate opinion that the case was one of suicide. In one of his hands, which were crossed over his body as it lay in a chair, he clutched a 32-calibre revolver, with all but one of the six chambers loaded. The bullet from the empty chamber had struck his right temple, made its way through his head, and was found on the floor behind him.

To Mrs. Charles E. Brillhart, who is said to be his bride of but eight months, the naval lieutenant had sealed, addressed and stamped a letter which the coroner forwarded tonight without opening, to Mrs. Brillhart, at The Cairo, 16th and Q street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Lieutenant Brillhart arrived at Astor shortly before noon Tuesday without baggage. No special attention was paid to the guest and nothing was heard of him until a maid complained this afternoon that she could not get into his room. Entrance was forced and the body was found, as described.

Identification was made from a check book showing a balance of $202 in a Washington bank, August 1st, cards and signet ring.

The body was removed to the Bellevue Hospital morgue where an autopsy will be performed. No one at the hotel could be found who heard the shot, but it was the coroner's opinion that the lieutenant had been dead at least twelve hours. He was apparently between 35 and 40 years of age.

Washington, August 3.—Lieutenant Charles E. Brillhart, the young navy officer who is believed to have committed suicide in a New York hotel, disappeared from here Monday. Brother officers spent all of yesterday and last night in searching this city and Baltimore for him, and today called on the police of all the big cities to assist in the hunt. The Navy Department also sent out a general alarm.

Lieutenant Brillhart was regarded as one of the most promising young officers in the service. He had been in charge of the power station at the Washington Navy Yard following a term of sea duty, and was universally popular. Mrs. Brillhart tonight is prostrated, but relatives have left for New York and will take the body to York, Pa., for burial. The officer was born in Kansas but was appointed to the Naval Academy from Pennsylvania

RAIN AT FLORENCE.

Heavy Downpour and Passenger Station Was Flooded.

Florence, S. C., Aug. 4.—The people in this part of the country have been praying for rain, says the Florence Times. Their prayers were answered last night and this morning. The rain came down in torrents causing a great deal of inconvenience in getting the passengers on and off trains at the station. In some way the drain pipes became stopped up and in a few minutes the water became six and seven inches deep, but by means of ladders and planks, the passengers were taken off and put aboard without getting very wet.

LOS ANGELES DYNAMITE CASE.

Detective Burns Said Local Authorities Have All the Evidence.

Los Angeles, Aug. 4.—William J. Burns, the detective credited with the arrests of the McNamara brothers and Ortie E. McManigal, the alleged dynamite plotters, has arrived in Los Angeles.

He said all the evidence in connection with the explosion which wrecked The Los Angeles Times, on October 1, 1910, was already in the possession of the local authorities.

Des Moines Aug. 4.—Union conductors and motormen finished their final runs on the Des Moines city railroad tonight. Tomorrow morning if the cars are operated at all, strike import breakers imported from Chicago, Cleveland and other cities will man them. Trouble is expected tomorrow morning when strike breakers attempt to move the cars.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 4.—Charles H. Moyer was re-elected president of the Federation of Miners by a vote of 207 to 99 at last night's session of the organization here.

SHARPLESS GIVES HIMSELF UP

Slayer of Jerry McGee, the Negro Preacher, Walks Into Police Headquarters and Hands Over His Gun.

Paul Sharpless, colored, who killed Jerry McGee, a negro preacher several weeks ago, and who made his escape following the shooting, walked up to Officer Marcus C. Gray, of the local police force, at headquarters last night about 9:15 and gave himself up. A little later he was committed to jail by Coroner C. D. Bell, to await trial in the Superior Court, the grand jury having returned a "true bill" for murder against him this week.

Sharpless stated to the officers that he intended to give himself up the night of the killing, but that a friend had advised him not to do so, and had convinced him for the time being that he had better try to elude capture. He stated that he had been living out on a piece of land which he owns near Castle Haynes, and that after thinking the matter over her had decided to give himself up and to remain a fugitive no longer. He turned a pistol over to the officers at the station.

The killing occurred about two weeks ago, when McGee walked into Sharpless' home to attempt to quiet a quarrel between Sharpless and his son-in-law, John Hill. Just after McGee entered the house Sharpless drew a pistol and fired several shots at Hill, one of the bullets taking effect in McGee's body, causing his death a little later.

After the shooting Sharpless left the house, telling his wife that he was going to police headquarters to give himself up. He carried his pistol with him. He failed to arrive and following the report of the coroner's jury, which was to the effect that McGee came to his death from a pistol fired by the hand of Paul Sharpless, a vigorous search was instituted by the police officials for the missing man. Although he was pursued by policemen on horse back for one whole day, he managed to elude the officers and make good his escape.

However, he says he became tired of hiding out and decided to face trial for his crime.

Assistant Solicitor.

Solicitor Henry E. Shaw stated in court yesterday morning that he could not close his docket without expressing his appreciation of the assistance given him at this term, especially by Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau, who was in charge of the prosecution for a day or two while the solicitor was indisposed and also aided in all the other cases. The remarks of the solicitor were supplemented by Judge E. B. Cline, who also observed the splendid work of Mr. Peschau in looking out after the interests of the State. This is the first term of Superior Court since Mr. Peschau was elected assistant city attorney.

Yoke Fellows' Appointments.

The following are the Yoke Fellows' appointments for Sunday: City prison, 10 A. M., Eli Cavanaugh; county home, 3 P. M., R. F. Coleman and H. E. O'Keef; Castle Haynes, 11 A. M., H. Wormsley and G. C. Bordeaux; Wrightsboro Union Sunday School, 8 P. M., L. L. Corbett and William Rourk.

STATE MANUFACTURERS

Interesting Statistics Compiled From Census Bureau's Report.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 4.—In accordance with his policy of keeping as closely in touch as possible with facts relative to the progress of North Carolina in order that inquiries to his department may be answered promptly and the most accurately possible, Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman has gleaned from the latest census returns of the government statistics ase to North Carolina progress that are most creditable and interesting. He finds that Charlotte leads in the number of manufacturing enterprises, having 108, and being followed by Wilmington with 64; Greensboro 61; Raleigh 55; Asheville 55; Winston 52. In general growth Raleigh leads with a percentage of 120 2-3; Charlotte is second with 85 per cent.; Asheville 63 2-3; Winston 41 per cent.; Greensboro 22 per cent; Wilmington 16 per cent. In the value of finished products Winston leads with $16,778,000; Charlotte shows $10,460,000; Asheville $3,250,000; Wilmington $3,005,000; Raleigh $2,376,000 and Greensboro $2,032,0. In the percentage of increase in volume of products manufactured, Raleigh leads with 119 per cent; Charlotte 116 per cent; Asheville 69 per cent; Winston 48 per cent; Greensboro 17 per cent. and Wilmington 3 per cent. In capital invested, Winston leads with $12,856,00; Charlotte, $9,451,000; Asheville $2,827,000; Raleigh, $2,027,000; Wilmington, $2,022,000 and Greensboro, $1,697,000. These figures are made up by Commissioner Shipman from the 1909 census figfiures and are compared with deductions from 1904.

INTERCEPTS WIRELESS MESSAGE

Owner and Publisher of Los Angeles Papers Indicted.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 4.—Edwin T. Earl, mine owner and publisher of the Los Angeles Express and of the Los Angeles Tribune, was indicted by a grand jury today charged with disclosing in the Tribune the contents of an intercepted wireless message.

Earl construed the message as indicating an alliance of three morning paper competitors against the Earl papers and it was printed in the Tribune, a new penny morning paper. So far as is known here, the indictment is the first of the kind in any country.

The indictment was the latest and most spectacular phase of a better editorial controversy between Earl's papers and the Los Angeles Times, the Los Angeles Examiner and the Los Angeles Herald concerning the circulation of the recent established Tribune.

While the Herald bears the name of F. S. Peard, as editor and publisher, Earl has asserted that the real owner and the director of the Herald's policies is General Otis, publisher of the Times. He printed the wireless message, which was intercepted by three high school boys, in an attempt to prove his contention.

YOUTH MURDERED FATHER.

Confessed Shooting and Killing Wealthy Contractor.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Joseph Vacek, Jr., 17 years old, son of Joseph Vacek, a wealthy contractor tonight confessed that he shot and killed his father today at their home. The shooting is believed to have followed a demand of the boy for money.

Young Vacek also confessed that he sought to blacken the memory of the dead man by means of a "black hand" note pinned to the clothing of the corpse. He is said to have slain his father after the elder Vacek had reprimanded him for not working.

The father's body was found in his room. On the clothing was pinned a note addressed to the victim's wife and reading as follows:

"Your husband is now where he wanted you to be. He told us if we killed you he would give us $500 and we failed. We asked him for the coin anyway and he did not give it to us so we got even. He deserved it and not you. I am a perfect gentleman and a friend of yours. Do not mourn for this guy, as he is a coward."

The sheet on which this was written was crudely decorated with a number of coffins and daggers, drawn in pencil.

The body was found by the victim's widow, who called the police. Suspicion attached to the boy when it was learned that he had left the house early in the morning. When he returned tonight he was arrested.

The boy was graduated from a manual training high school in June and had told his parents that he went to work immediately afterwards. Instead her had been idle all Summer. Finally, the father became insistent as to the boy's pay and was told that today would be pay day.

The quarrel which resulted in the elder Vacek's death is believed to have been over an attempt of the youth to obtain money from his father to show his mother and convince her that he had been at work. The boy gave evidence of having been dead for several hours, when the police arrived after noon. Despite this, Mrs. Vacek declared she had been home all mroning, except for a few minutes while she was marketing.

The police decided that the boy had entered the house and killed his father during the mother's brief absence. When he returned home, he was arrested. A written statement of his whereabouts during the day was compared with the note found pinned to the father's clothes and the handwriting found to be similar. The boy confessed to the murder and went with detectives to a lovely spot in the suburbs to get the buried revolver wth which the shooting was done.

New series opens today. People's Building & Loan Association, 206 Princess street. **

..Theatrical..

In spite of the rain and attendant gloom of yesterday, the Bijou did rattling good business, the coronation pictures proving an especially big and brilliant drawing card. The pictures were presented on the same scale of extensiveness and detail, with effects, as given in the very largest cities of the North. The pictures not only proved entertaining to large audiences, but profitable as well. Besides this costly film the Bijou offered a giant programme of merry music and late photoplays. Today is going to be a whopping Saturday at the Bijou. The bill for today is of giant size and will be of most delightful nature. Every feature will be a star, and one that twinkles brightly. The music will be of the up-to-the-moment kind, and will be awfully jolly, while the moving pictures will be fresh from the factory and the very best obtainable. There will be a plenty of comedy and an abundance of the dramatic, so as to please all tastes.

The present week has been one of the best in the Bijou's history, and today is going to make a glorious climax to it all.

VESSEL RAN UPON ROCK.

Steamer Bunker Hill Pierced and is Leaking Badly.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Aug. 4.—As the steamer Bunker Hill, bound from New York to Boston, with 275 passengers aboard, was proceeding through Vineyard sound in the starlight early today, she suddenly ran upon a rock off Nobska Points.

The passengers, awakened by the impact, scrambled upon deck in their night clothes, but when they found there was no immediate danger they returned to their berths.

The Bunker Hill backed off easily in a short time. The pumps were then set to work and the steamer, leaking badly, proceeded to Vineyard Haven harbor, where she remained for several hours.

Soon after sunrise the passengers were transferred to the steamer Uncatena, of the Nantucket, Martha's Vineyard and New Bedford line, and were taken to Wood's Hole, and thence to Boston by train.

An officer of the Bunker Hill stated that the ship was trying to avoid striking a tow of barges. Freed of passengers, the Bunker Hill started for New York, although leaking considerably. Her pumps were able to dispose of the water taken in.

The Bunker Hill left New York yesterday afternoon. Its crew numbered about 36.

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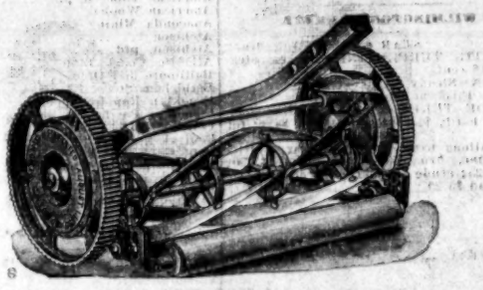

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BOND OFFER.

The City of Wilmington, North Carolina, offers for sale $100,000 Street Improvement Bonds, to bear 4½ per cent. interest, running forty years, without privilege of prior recall.

Bids received at office of the City Treasurer, and will be opened on the 30th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, Noon. Mark envelopes "Bids for Purchase of Bonds," and address same to Thos. D. Meares, City Treasurer. Two per cent. deposit required on all bids. No bids at less than par considered. The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information, address THOS. D. MEARES, City Treasurer, Wilmington, N. C.

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Water Street Store For Rent

Store No. 206 North Water Street, for Rent. Possession given October 1st.

APPLY

D. L. GORE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine, in the run of Williamson's branch; thence up the run of said branch north 69 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 900 feet, to the beginning, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.

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Popular Excursion

—TO—

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

—VIA—

Norfolk Southern Railroad

Extremely Low Rates

Lv. Goldsboro	7.00	A. M.	$3.00
Lv. La Grange	7.25	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Kinston	7.52	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Beaufort	7.00	A. M.	3.50
Lv. Morehead City	7.15	A. M.	3.50
Lv. Newport	8.00	A. M.	3.50
Lv. Oriental	7.00	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Newbern	9.50	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Vanceboro	10.45	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Farmville	9.12	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Greenville	9.40	A. M.	3.00
Lv. Washington	10.30	A. M.	2.50
Lv. Plymouth	12.01	P. M.	2.50
Lv. Mackeys	12.30	P. M.	2.50
Lv. Belhaven	11.00	A. M.	2.50
Lv. Columbia	7.00	A. M.	2.50
Ar. Norfolk	3.45	P. M.	

Rates in same proportion from all intermediate stations.

Tickets good returning on all regular trains leaving Norfolk not later than noon August 20th.

Grand Jubilee of North Carolinians at Virginia Beach, Wednesday, Aug. 16

Round trip tickets from Norfolk

25 CENTS

Call upon ticket agents for complete information.

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Aug. 5-10t.

EXCURSION TO COLUMBIA, S. C. via THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE. AUGUST 8TH.

A very cheap excursion to Columbia. It will be the trip of a life-time.

T. H. Knight offers the cheapest of all the cheap excursions to Columbia via the Atlantic Coast Line on Tuesday, August 8th. The rate from Wilmington will be only $2.50 for the round trip. No better excursion has ever been offered the people of this section and everybody should grasp this splendid chance to visit one of the most beautiful and progressive cities in the entire South, at a trifling cost. If you want to enjoy the trip that beats all others, don't miss this one. Train will leave Wilmington, Tuesday, August 8th, at 7 A. M., and will leave Columbia Wednesday, August 9th, at 8 P. M. Remember the date. There will be separate coaches for white and colored passengers.

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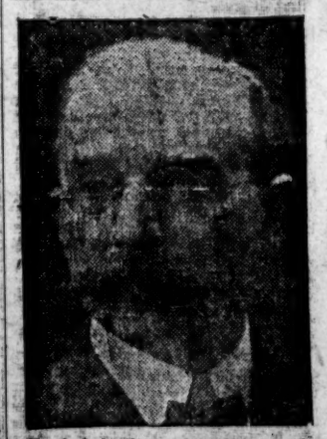

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Financial and Commercial

VIOLENT IN COTTON MARKET

Advanced 40 Points in Morning and Broke 49 in Afternoon—Experienced Erratic Fluctuations. Features.

New York, Aug. 4.—Very seldom has the cotton trade experienced more violently erratic fluctuations than those noted in the local cotton market during today's trading. Broadly speaking, the market advanced 40 points during the morning and broke 49 points during the afternoon, with the close weak, at a net gain of 9 points on August, but from 5 to 6 points net lower on net crop months. Business was very active and the market was excited all day, with sentiment extremely nervous and unsettled; the morning being marked by apprehension growing out of the rumored strength of the bull clique which had been active yesterday while in the afternoon the ease with which prices broke seemed to convince many traders that the advance of 90 to 230 points from the new records of Monday had reflected little more than a bold raid of bills in an oversold market. The market opened firm at advance of 31 to 40 points in response to the sensationally higher cables and a continuation of yesterday's general covering. There was heavy realizing by recent buyers around the initial figures and early fluctuations were somewhat irregular, but new crop positions worked up late in the forenoon until October contracts were selling around 11.74, comparing with 10.81 the low level of the week, while August sold at 12.85, when, at this level, offerings became very heavy and as prices began to ease off rumors were circulated that the new bull clique had liquidated their long cotton and were taking the short side.

This, in connection with the ease with which prices worked lower, and confidence was shown on the bear side, and the close was practically lowest level of the day, with October 49 points down from the high level of the morning. After the official close, sales of October were reported privately at 11.15, or 19 points under the close of the previous day. Selling was general late in the day, and while numerous unfavorable crop reports came in from the South during the morning, more bearish advices were received in the afternoon, with the late selling movement suggesting quite a general feeling that there had been no change in the crop outlook, or in general condition to justify the big advance from the low prices of last Monday. Receipts today, 11,120 bales, against 4,500 last week and 1,142 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 46 bales, against 306 last year, and at Houston 2,271, against 442 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 15 points higher; middling uplands, 12.75; do. gulf, 13.00; no sales.

Futures opened firm and closed weak.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.60	12.85	12.50	12.54
September	11.75	11.85	11.43	11.42
October	11.40	11.74	11.25	11.25
November	11.65	.....	.....	11.24
December	11.64	11.73	11.26	11.26
January	11.64	11.68	11.20	11.20
March	11.79	11.74	11.32	11.33
April	.....	.....	11.32	11.30
May	11.80	11.82	11.40	11.40

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12 5-16; net receipts, 1,031; gross receipts, 1,031; sales, 397; stock, 5,501; continent, 790.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12⅛; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 374.

Savannah—Quiet, 12⅞; net receipts, 39; gross receipts, 39; sales, 562; stock, 11,588; coastwise, 548.

Charleston — Nominal; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 3,567.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 143.

Norfolk—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 2; gross receipts, 2; sales, 32; stock, 1,557; coastwise, 110.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; gross receipts, 2,000; stock, 927; continent, 2,375.

New York—Quiet, 12.75; gross receipts, 773; stock, 87,312; coastwise, 237.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.00; stock, 825.

Brunswick—Stock, 2.

Total today at all ports—Net, 1,120; continent, 3,174; stock, 143,028.

Consolidated at all ports—Net, 7,784; Great Britain, 645; continent, 12,114; Japan, 6.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,484,090; Great Britain, 3,259,539; France, 900,444; continent, 3,053,432; Japan, 148,972; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 2,271; gross receipts, 2,271; shipments, 3,108; sales, 3,643; stock, 14,341.

Augusta—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 2; gross receipts, 2; shipments, 397; sales, 342; stock, 1,707.

Memphis—Nominal, 13; net receipts, 76; gross receipts, 196; shipments, 121; sales, 325; stock, 23,808.

St. Louis—Quiet, 13; gross receipts, 152; shipments, 252; stock, 5,327.

Cincinnati—Stock, 17,361.

Little Rock—Nominal, 12¼; net receipts, 105; gross receipts, 105; shipments, 29; stock, 3,986.

Louisville—Firm, 13; net receipts, 40; gross receipts, 40; shipments, 30; sales, 5; stock, 15.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,494; gross receipts, 2,766; shipments, 3,957; sales, 43,115; stock, 66,635.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—New investment buying made a broad market today in wheat. Purchasing was based upon a belief that reports of serious damage to crops in Russia had been confirmed and that there was truth also under the stories of black rust in the Canadian Northwest. Closing figures were steady, ⅞@1¼ higher than last night. Latest trading left corn ⅝ to ⅞@¾ down, oats up ⅛@⅛ to ⅜, and provisions at an advance of 5 to 22½@25.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 88½@91; No. 3, red, 87½@90¾; No. 1, hard, 92¼; No. 2, hard, 90@93; No. 3, hard, 89@92; No. 1, northern, old, 1.10¼@1.11½; No. 1, northern, new, 1.04@1.08; No. 2, northern, old, 1.06@1.08; No. 2, northern, new, 98@1.03; No. 3, northern, 93@1.00; No. 2, spring, new, 96@1.00; No. 3, spring, 92@98; velvet chaff, 92@98; durum, 92@96.

Corn—No. 2, 65@65¾; No. 2, white, 68½; No. 2, yelow, 65¼@65½; No. 3, 64½@65; No. 3, white, 67@67½; No. 3, yellow, 65@65½; No. 4, white, 64½@65.

Oats—No. 2, new, 40; No. 2, white, new, 41¼@41¾; No. 3, 40; No. 3, white, 41½; No. 3, white, new, 40¾@41¼; standard new, 41@41½.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aug	90	91½	90	90⅝
Sept	91¾	93⅜	91½	92⅞
Dec	95⅝	97⅜	95⅞	97⅛
May	1.00⅜	1.03¼	1.00⅜	1.02⅝
Corn:				
Sept	65⅞	66	65¼	65⅝
Dec	63¾	63⅞	62⅞	63
May	65⅞	66⅛	65	65¼
Oats:				
Sept	42½	43¼	42¼	42⅜
Dec	45	45½	44⅜	45
May	47⅞	48⅝	47⅝	47⅞
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	17.67	17.80	17.65	17.75
Jan	16.47	16.50	16.40	16.47½
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	8.80	8.90	8.77	9.00
Oct	8.87	9.05	8.87	9.05
Dec	8.65	8.72	8.65	8.72½
Jan	8.62	8.72	8.57	8.72½
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	9.35	9.37	9.30	9.37
Oct	9.30	9.35	9.25	9.25
Jan	8.37	8.42½	8.32½	8.40

A King Who Left Home

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all Laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Charles Le Cower (Fr.), Condal, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schooners.

Harry Prescott, 411 tons, Philbrook, C. D. Mafflitt.

Maud H. Dudley, 327 tons, Grover, C. D. Mafflitt.

John W. Hall, 329 tons, Bennett, by master.

Perry Setzer, 1,268 tons, Blake, C. D. Mafflitt.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 4.

Atlantic Coast Line—32 casks spirits turpentine; 54 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 68 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock — 8 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin.

Str. G. Moore—38 barrels rosin.

Total—40 casks spirits turpentine; 127 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 68 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—49 casks spirits turpentine; 283 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 73 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 4.—Flour was firmer, with a fair trade. Spring patents, 5.10@5.35.

Rye Flour—Easy.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rice—Nominal.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, firm. No. 2, red, new, 95, elevator, and 96¾, f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ¾@1c. net advance. September, 97⅜; December, 1.02¼.

Corn—Spot, easy. No. 2, 71½, elevator, domestic basis to arrive. Export, No. 2, 71½ f. o. b. afloat. Futures closed nominal. September, 70½; December, 69½.

Oats—Steady. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Strong.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Turpentine—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rosin—Quiet.

Rice—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady at a net advance of 186@22 points. Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 4⅞; Santos, No. 4, 13¾; mild, dull; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Potatoes—Easy. Southern sweets, barrel, 3.50@4.50; Jersey, basket, 2.75@3.00.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Butter—Steady and unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Firm.

Cotton Seed Oil—Good advance early on speculative buying of December and January, and with the big upturn in cotton and lard, but near the close prices reacted, owing to the sharp break in the cotton market. Futures closed two lower on August and two to six higher on later months. August, 5.46@5.55; September, 5.39@5.51; October, 5.36@5.38; November, 5.32@5.35; December, 5.34@5.35. Prime crude, nominal; do. summer yellow, 5.45@5.65; do. winter, 5.50@6.25; do. summer white, 5.70@6.00.

Cabbages—Dull and unchanged.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 4th.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 48 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.70.

TAR—Firm, at $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$2.90 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip; and $4.40 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	49
Rosin	127
Tar	8
Crude Turpentine	68

Receipts same day last year, 49 casks turpentine; 283 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 73 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 29th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 12 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, 7 to 7½ per lb.; dry, 12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

The Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 1.—Farmers' Spanish—Firm, at $1.27½ per bushel; Shelled Spanis—No. 1, Spanish, Shelled, 7c. to 7¼c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, Shelled, 5½c. to c. per lb.; Virginias—Firm. Bunch, 5¼ to 5½c. per lb.; Fancy Hand Picked, 4½c. to 5c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 4c. per lb.; Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3½c. to 4c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. to 3½c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Moderate Business; Prices, 28 Points Higher.

Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Spot cotton, moderate business done; prices 28 points higher; American middling fair, 7.57; good middling, 7.33; middling, 6.95; low middling, 6.75; good ordinary, 6.49; ordinary, 6.24.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 8,500 American. Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 1,100 American. Futures opened firm and closed firm: August, 6.70; August and September, 6.52½; September and October, 6.28½; October and November, 6.20; November and December, 6.15½; December and January, 6.15; January and February, 6.16; February and March, 6.18; March and April, 6.20; April and May, 6.21½; May and June, 6.23.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 4.—Money on call steady 2 to 2 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Time loans firm, 60 days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., 90 days 3 to 3 1-2; six months 3 7-8 to 4. Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-2; sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84 for 60 day bills and at 4.8610 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 1-2. Bar silver 52 3-8. Mexican dollars 45.

STOCKS TOUCH LOW RECORDS

All Classes of Stocks Participated in Decline Yesterday—Serious Division of Market's Weakness —Features.

New York, August 4.—The stock market continued its retrograde tendency today by establishing a number of new low records for the present movement. All classes of stocks participated in the decline, which for the first time bore marks of precipitate liquidation from various sources, together with a very liberal admixture of short selling. Serious discussion of the market's weakness at this time would necessarily involve the recital of a number of subjects ranging from the political to the purely speculative or technical, not to mention industrial conditions which are far from satisfactory in spite of the improvement reported in the steel and iron trades. On the political side of the account the financial community endeavored to derive some comfort from the announcement that Congress is likely soon to adjourn, but this was nullified by the activities of the Federal government in various channels affecting capital and corporations in general. The inquiry into the purchase of Tennessee Coal and Iron by the United States Steel Corporation gives promise of taking on wider scope, and from Washington during the day came word of the intention of the Department of Justice to proceed against some of the bituminous coal roads, including C. and O. and Hocking Valley.

Standard Oil's continued weakness in the outside market, its net loss today being 16 points, was again a factor, and a sensational upward move in cotton options to which stocks are always more or less susceptible, was viewed with some concern.

Offerings of United States Steel were on a larger scale today than for some time past, aggregating over 200,000 shares. That stock was the weakest of the active group, making a net decline of 2⅞ points.

Other issues that showed pronounced heaviness and made severe losses include the electrical stocks, American Smelting, the Coppers, the Harriman and Hill shares, Reading, Lehigh Valley, Texas Company, Interborough-Metropolitan, pfd., Brooklyn Union Gas, and LaClede Gas, declines ranging from 2 to 4½ points. Final prices were at the day's low level, the whole list reflecting a state of demoralization.

In the general excitement of the day, little attention was paid to the money market, the feature of which was an advance in four months funds to 3⅛ per cent., the highest rate for that period quoted this year. A higher rate for six months money also was quoted.

Bonds were weak, in sympathy with the decline in stocks. Total sales, par value, aggregated $2,300,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 747,200 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	22½
Amalgamated Copper	64½
American Agricultural	57¾
American Beet Sugar	30
American Can	10¾
American Car and Foundry	54½
American Cotton Oil	54⅝
American Hide and Leather, pfd	23
American Ice Securities	19¾
American Linseed	10
American Locomotive	38
American Smelting and Refining	73⅝
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	105
American Steel Foundries	38
American Sugar Refining	117
American Tel and Tel	135⅝
American Tobacco, pfd	95
American Woolen	31
Anaconda Mining Co	37⅝
Atchison	107⅝
Atchison, pfd	102⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	125⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	104⅝
Bethlehem Stel	33½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77⅝
Canadian Pacific	242⅝
Central Leather	28¾
Central Leather, pfd	99½
Central of New Jersey	285
Chesapeake and Ohio	78
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	21¾
Chicago Great Western, pfd	43
Chicago and North Western	143
Chicago, Mil., and St. Paul	123½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	55
Colorado Fuel and Iron	30
Colorado and Southern	52
Consolidated Gas	141
Corn Products	14
Delaware and Hudson	160
Denver and Rio Grande	26
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	56
Distillers' Securities	32¼
Erie	32¼
Erie, 1st pfd	52½
Erie, 2nd pfd	43
General Electric	155½
Great Northern, pfd	129⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	51½
Illinois Central	139
Interborough-Met	16½
Interborough-Met., pfd	46¾
International Harvester	119¾
Inter-Marine, pfd	16½
International Paper	11
International Pump	38⅜
Iowa Central	18
Kansas City Southern	27½
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67
Laclede Gas	104½
Louisville and Nashville	145⅜
Minneapolis and St. Louis	32
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	136¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	34¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66⅜
Missouri Pacific	45
National Biscuit	135
National Lead	54
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	29
New York Central	106
New York, Ontario and Western	40½
Norfolk and Western	105½
North American	74
Northern Pacific	123¼
Pacific Mail	29
Pennsylvania	127⅜
People's Gas	104½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	94
Pittsburg Coal	19¾
Pressed Steel Car	34½
Pullman Palace Car	159
Railway Steel Spring	53
Reading	152⅝
Republic Steel	28
Republic Steel, pfd	92½
Rock Island Co	20
Rock Island Co., pfd	59⅜
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	45
St. Louis Southwestern	28¾
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	70
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	49
Southern Pacific	117⅜
Southern Railway	20⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	70
Tennessee Copper	33½
Texas and Pacific	20⅞
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	19½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	45
Union Pacific	183⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	94
United States Realty	72
United States Rubber	38
United States Steel	75
United States Steel, pfd	116¾
Utah Copper	46⅞
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	55⅞
Wabash	15
Wabash, pfd	32⅜
Western Maryland	60
Westinghouse Electric	67
Western Union	76
Wheeling and Lake Erie	5

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GENERAL ACTIVITY IN COTTON

Large Bull Interests Have Given Aggressive Support—Prices Have Advanced—Government Report Favorable.

New York, Aug. 4.—During the past week trading in cotton has for the first time since the recent severe break in prices commenced to become a less one-sides affair. Large bull interests have given aggressive support and shorts and spot interests have brought futures extensively in which trade interests also have done so to some extent.

Prices have advanced. The government report which was announced on Wednesday while not bearing out the extremely bearish views of many, was yet considered in the main as being favorable as it was more than nine per cent. above the ten-year average for the corresponding date. It made the condition of the crop 89.1 per cent., agains. 88.2 a month ago, 75.5 last year and a ten-year average of 79.4 per cent. While ninety and in some cases 91 and 92 per cent. had been looked for it was argued that the Southern producers whose persistent selling has until recently been evident had sold futures on the same information that they had furnished the government for use in the compilation of its report.

Also it was claimed that with ordinary weather and crop conditions during the balance of the season and the fact that there has been an improvement during July the outturn would be of record size. Moreover attention was called to the fact that no re-planting has been necessary and that there had been no abandonment of the immense acreage planted. New crop cotton, it was also asserted, had been offered from Texas for delivery on August contracts in New York at 12.50.

Trade conditions in the far East have been at times discouraging owing to continued drought in India and reports of floods in China. Then too, there has been increasing curtailment of production in this country. But of late many unfavorable crop advices have been received and large interests as already stated have bought futures heavily.

The net result of the week was a gain of 3 to 47 points, the latter on August. Heavy long liquidation was evident today carrying prices off some 30 to 50 points from the top.

TRADE REVIEW FOR WEEK.

Considerable Irregularity is Reported by Bradstreet.

New York, Aug. 4.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

There is still considerable irregularity in trade conditions due to cautiousness and fears of crop damage but basic conditions and the advance of the year tend to work for a little further improvement. While merchants continue to feel their way, sentiment as to Fall trade is improving slightly, and at some of the larger centers jobbers and wholesale dealers have done a rather better business with outside merchants, who are beginning to come to market. Southern and, to a less extent, Southwestern merchants whose feelings are buoyed by prospects of a record cotton crop, are more disposed to place orders for future use, dry goods, clothing and shoes are in a little demand. Retail trade in seasonable goods is quiet, though clearance sales are general. Under the circumstances there is little or no re-order business.

In the iron and steel line trade keeps up and the outlook seems to be improving, but price cutting is still visible on sheets, plates and bars. Collections range from slow to fair.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending August 3rd. were 208 against 238 last week, and 166 in the like week of 1910.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.

Hester's Statement Shows 1,741,847 Bales—Statistics.

New Orleans, Aug. 4.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 1,741,847 bales against 1,846,970 last week and 1,796,062 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 819,417 against 914,970 last week and 951,062 last year; and of all other kinds including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 922,000 against 932,000 last week and 845,000 last year.

The total world's visible supply of cotton shows a decrease compared with last week of 105,123, and a decrease compared with last year of 54,215.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 984,000 against 870,000 last year; n Egypt 69,000 against 53,000 last year; in India 475,000 against 531,000 last year; and in the United States 214,000 against 342,000 last year.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, Aug. 4.—The following are the total net receipts of Cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,747,033
New Orleans	1,578,336
Mobile	249,781
Savannah	1,426,119
Charleston	285,096
Wilmington	409,830
Norfolk	550,199
Baltimore	105,475
New York	14,711
Boston	38,844
Newport News	3,273
Philadelphia	515
San Francisco	84,455
Brunswick	215,963
Port Townsend	57,122
Pensacola	123,185
Portland, Ore	500
Port Arthur and Sabine Pass	200,739
Jacksonville	20,030
Eagle Pass, Tex	50
El Paso, Tex	55
Laredo, Tex	400
Georgetown	1,397
Gulfport	34,239
Texas City	308,870
Minor Ports	6,802
Total bales	8,484,099

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 4.—Rosin, steady; turpentine, quiet.

Savannah, Aug. 4.—Turpentine, firm, at 49¼@49¾; sales, 5,20; receipts, 1,236; shipments, 401; stock, 4,038.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,156; receipts, 3,711; shipments, 9,020; stocks, 113,139. Quote: B, 5.05@5.15; D, 5.35@5.45; E, 5.45@5.60; F, G, H and I, 6.30@6.35; K and M, 6.30@6.40; N, 6.65; W G, 7.05; W W, 7.15.

Read Star Business Locals.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, Aug. 5th.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Friday, August 4th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall during the day, 4.83 inch; for the month, 4.83 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Friday, 2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Saturday and probably Sunday; not much change in temperature; light to moderate southeast and south winds.

Port Calendar—August 5th.

Sun rises	5:26 A. M.
Sun sets	7:09 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport	5:00 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	8:00 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 4, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	94	74	.30
Asheville	raining	82	64	.02
Atlanta	raining	86	68	.06
Augusta	pt cldy	86	74	.12
Birmingham	clear	90	68	.0
Boston	clear	76	62	.0
Charleston	cloudy	84	78	.40
Charlotte	cloudy	86	70	1.22
Chicago	pt cldy	88	70	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	82	74	2.50
Memphis	cloudy	86	72	.10
Mobile	raining	86	74	.02
Montgomery	pt cldy	88	70	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	92	76	.04
New York	clear	72	66	.0
Palestine	clear	90	76	.0
Oklahoma	clear	84	62	—
Pittsburg	clear	90	70	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	76	70	1.46
Savannah	cloudy	84	74	.24
Shreveport	cloudy	90	74	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	82	68	.02
Washington	raining	84	70	.04

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, Aug. 4.—For the week ending Friday, August 4:

Net receipts at all United States ports during the week, 7,784.

Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year, 6,742.

Total receipts since September 1st, 8,484,099.

Total receipts to same date last year, 7,209,032.

Exports for the week, 12,765.

Exports for same week last year, 24,597.

Total exports since September 1st, 7,364,962.

Total exports same date last year, 5,952,750.

Stock at all United States ports, 143,028.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 283,485.

Stock at all interior towns, 83,512.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 65,732.

Stock at Liverpool, 520,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 412,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain, 4,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 8,000.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 4.—The cotton goods markets were quiet with a better inquiry from converting sources. Trading in the jobbing houses is fair but not active. Novelty silks are selling better. In the men's wear trade more selling is reported. Yarns continue easy with more inquiry.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER — ENTRY OF LAND, NO. 8321.

To John Haar, Entry Taker of New Hanover County:

The undersigned claimant, being a citizen of the State of North Carolina, hereby sets forth and shows that the following tract of land lying and being in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, particularly described as follows:

About opposite Station No. 6, of Tidewater Power Company, on Wrightsville Beach, bounded on the north by Back Channel and Greenville Sound, on the east by Back Channel, on the south by Mud Beach, and on the west by Greenville Sound or Money Island Bay, containing about one-fourth of an acre, is vacant and unappropriated land, belonging to the State of North Carolina and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimant hereby makes entry of, lays claim to, and prays for a grant for said land.

This 1st. day of August, 1911.

A. A. HERGENROTHER, Claimant.

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no use for us to pass any more tariff bills."

"I hope," said Senator Martin, "that the Finance Committee will report the bill back tomorrow morning so that we can have speedy action. Let us pass the bill and do our duty and put it up to the President, whether we think he will veto it or not."

Mr. Simmons, of North Carolina, joined Senator Overman in asking for time for hearings. He suggested August 20th and Mr. Macon, of Georgia, favored August 15th.

Senator Overman declared that he had voted to give 20 days time in which to hold hearings on the wool bill and that he asked for the same time on the cotton bill.

"The people in my State want to be heard on the cotton schedule," said Mr. Overman. "They want to see a fair revision of the cotton schedule but four days is not sufficient time to hold hearings."

Senator Martin declared that the House Committee had considered the cotton schedule carefully and he thought it ought to be acted on speedily.

"I do not believe it necessary to have further hearings," said Senator Martin.

WHITE WAS CROSS-EXAMINED

Says All Democrats Got Paid for Lorimer Votes.

Washington, Aug. 4.—To his story of how he claims he was bribed to vote for Lorimer, Charles A. White, former member of the Illinois Legislature, today added for the benefit of the Senate Lorimer Committee that he believed every one of the 53 Democrats who voted for Lorimer did so for a money consideration. He added that he thought some of the Republicans, who voted for Lorimer got money for so doing.

White declined to mention the names of any of the Republicans he suspected "because it is just a matter of opinion and I do not want to do an injustice to anyone." He said he based his opinion about wholesale corruption on the fact that he was bribed and that others had confessed the same.

All day White was cross-examined by Attorney Elbridge Hanecy, representing Senator Lorimer. The cross-examination will be completed early tomorrow when former State Representative Beckemeyer will be placed on the stand.

White declared that the record in the first Lorimer investigation was wrong in reporting him as saying he "would have sold" his story to Senator Lorimer if the Senator had given him $75,000 for his "confession" manuscript in response to White's letter.

"It should have read 'Might have sold,'" said White. He added that he might have turned his manuscript over to Lorimer for $75,000 because that amount might have been all the evidence necessary for him to prove his exposure which he said he was planning to do for the good of the public.

Attorney Hanecy was allowed to ask White if detectives from the State's attorney office, in Cook county, "took him to the red light district."

White said he did not know the location of the "district" but when it was described he testified they took him there.

SECRET AS TO REBATES

Existed Between the Railroads and Sugar Shippers

Washington, Aug. 4.—A secret understanding as to rebates apparently exists between the railroads and sugar shippers, in the opinion of Harry E. Bellis, a tariff rate expert, of Philadelphia, who appeared today before the House Sugar Trust Investigating Committe to explain the question of sugar freight rates. Mr. Bellis said he had not brought the matter to the attention of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, because he had learned of it only recently. He declared the railroads did not charge by gross rates on sugar shipments and that this meant a saving of considerable money to the American Sugar Refining Company. He was not sure, he said, but he supposed the independents received similar fare rebates.

"And this is one way?" asked Representative Sulzer, "the railroads and shippers have of defeating the law?"

"Yes."

"Why do not the railroads in their published freight rate tariffs mention this reduction for tare?"

"I do not know," said Mr. Bellis. Yet it is an important matter. The railroads are supposed to charge on gross weight but do not."

OUTRAGE AT AIKEN, S. C.

Woman Found Dead and Husband Severely Beaten.

Aiken, S. C., Aug. 4.—Sheriff Rabon, of Aiken, received a message this morning from Monetta, 25 miles from here that a woman named Mrs. Spradley had been found dead there and that her husband had been terribly beaten by a mob. It is not known here whether the woman was killed by the mob. The sheriff and several officers have gone to the scene.

New Orleans, Aug. 4.—Complete returns from every county in Mississippi, as compiled by the Picayune, give James K. Vardaman a majority over both Percy and Alexander in the recent senatorial race of 24,185 votes. According to these figures Vardaman polled 76,083 against Alexander's 30,681 and Percey's 21,217. In the race for attorney general Ross Collins is given a mapority of 5,059 over Hudson, the incumbent.

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SITUATION IN MOROCCO

Fowers Conferring and Disagreement is Very Unlikely.

Paris, Aug. 4.—According to a statement issued tonight that the Franco-German situation over Morocco shows a tendency to ameliorate, Germany, since the last interview between Ambassador Cmabon and Foreign Secretary Von Kiderlein Waechter having ceased to consider her original propositions as beyond modification. It is certain that a relaxation in the situation has resulted.

Nevetheless, it cannot be disguised that there still is a considerable margin between Germany's pretensions and the concessions France is disposed to make and that while the turn taken by the negotiations evokes satisfaction, exaggerated optimism is out of place until further interviews between Ambassador Cambon and Major Von Kiderlen Waechter result in a complete agreement.

Berlin Aug. 4.—The prospects of a speedy settlement of the Morocco question between Germany and France is welcomed on every hand but the terms of the agreement, when they become known probably will cause considerable dissatisfaction in both Germany and France. The negotiations between M. Cambon, the French ambassador, and foreign minister Von Diderler Waechter have been difficult and the French people even yet are not quite as optimistic as the Germans over the final outcome.

Details still remain to be arranged. Both Germany and France have been compelled to concede a number of weighty points, because neither was prepared to press matters too far. Major VonKiderlen Waechter is thoroughly wearied of the whole incident, especially as he has not secured a fulfillment of his desires, and even the French diplomats are prepared for a storm of indignation among patriots on both sides of the frontier.

ABOUT WILEY CHARGES.

Solicitor of Agricultural Department on Witness Stand.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Cross-examination of George P. McCabe, solicitor of the Agricultural Department, which began today before the House Committee on Expenditures in the Agricultural Department, will be continued tomorrow by counsel for Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief chemist of the government.

From the attitude taken toward the close of today's hearing by Henry E. Davis, of this city, who, with former Representative W. P. Hepburn, of Iowa, is representing Dr. Wiley, in the investigation, it was apparent that an effort would be made to show that there is no authority of law for the system that has been established in the department in the administration of the Pure Food law. Mr. McCabe testified today as to the exact charges against Dr. Wiley, namely, that as chief of the bureau of chemistry he had made a contract with Dr. Rusby, a scientific investigator, at a higher per diem rate than the law permits.

Secretary James Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, visited the capitol today and will appear later before the committee. Dr. Wiley's attorneys intimate that they will cross examine the secretary as to the present power of the bureau of chemistry, the extent to which the powers of the food and drug inspection board have been turned over to Solicitor McCabe, and the legal standing in the department of the Remsen pure food referee board.

THE COTTON TARIFF BILL.

Measure Reported and Debate Begun in the Senate.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The House cotton tariff revision bill was reported to the Senate today and immediately precipitated a lively debate. Democratic Leader Martin asked that it be referred to the Finance Committee with instructions to report by August 10th. Senator Overman, of North Carolina, favored August 24th.

It was referred to the Finance Committee by a vote of 38 to 26, with instructions to report it back August 10th.

Chairman Penrose, of the Finance Committee, announced the committee would meet tomorrow. "We will not wait until the 10th to report the cotton bill," he said, "but will take it up and report it immediately. We will bring it back tomorrow and if conditions feel right, I shall ask that an early day be fixed for a vote by the Senate.

Despite the different opinions as to what effect the Senate's instructions to the Senate committee to report the cotton tariff revision bill will have on the early adjournment of Congress, nearly all the senators and representatives are anxious to get away and it is apparent that it will be almost impossible to hold a quorum after the President vetoes the wool tariff bill, as he is expected to do early next week.

CROPS IN ROBESON COUNTY.

The Robesonian Says Outlook Generally is Fine.

(Lumberton Robesonian, 3rd.)

We are surprised to note the gloomy report as to crop prospects in the Pembroke section in today's Wilmington Star by Mr. Wesley Kirby. The situation near Mr. Kirby must be worse than anywhere else in the county, for our correspondents from almost every other section report the finest crops ever known. Mr. R. E. Lewis, who lives five miles from Lumberton on the Fayetteville road, and is one of the best farmers in the county, was in town this morning and in reply to a question said that he thinks now his crops are the finest he ever had. Of course, it is understood that late cotton—about half the entire crop—cannot make more than half a crop, but if reports are to be believed there never has been such a corn crop in this county before.

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UNUSUAL CASE OF CRUELTY.

Farmer Forced Wife to Walk With His Mules.

Liberty, Mo., Aug. 4.—Before a large crowd, two-thirds of which was made up of women, LaFayette Choat, a farmer, who is accused of tying his wife's hands behind her and forcing her to walk with his mules while he harrowed his fields, had a preliminary hearing today.

Mrs. Choat bared her arms and showed the judge the bruises which she declared her husband had inflicted by beating her with a club. She said her husband had knocked her down and, after tying her hands, made her march with the mules while he harrowed six times around a large field.

She said he would prod her with a stick when she hesitated.

The husband, who can neither read nor write, acted as his own attorney and questioned his wife. Choat is 31 years old. His wife is 28. Mrs. Choat testified that after her husband untied her from the mules so she could unhitch them, he tied her to a post.

"Then he took me to the house and slapped me," she added. She said that while she was tied to the mules her husband frequently prodded her with a stick and jerked her against the harrow handles.

In cross examining his wife Choat asked: "So you say before these people that I took you to the field and whipped you like a dog?"

"Yes, Lafe," she answered in a low voice, "you whipped we worst than you would whip a dog."

"According to that I must be a bad man."

"You are. You have threatened to kill me with shot guns, razors, and everything you could get your hands on. You choked me nearly to death just a month before this child was born. We've never got along together. It seemed like you had the idea you had to scare me to get along with me."

Choat then took the stand. He said he was working in the field when he saw his wife and two children going down the road with a man. He said he went over to the road and the man ran.

"My wife said she was going to the man," said Choat. "I told her she would not. Se said she would. I hit her twice. I made her go to the field with me. I took a rope and tied it to her wrists behind her and led her with me over the field as I harrowed. When I was through I tied her to a post and when the mules were unhitched I led her home and took the rope off. That's all."

Choat was held to a grand jury in bond of $2,000 on a charge of feloniously beating his wife.

SUBMARINES IN GREAT PERIL

Nearly Run Down by the Yankton In War Tactics.

Provincetown, Mass., Aug. 4.—Two submarines narrowly escaped being run down by the gunboat Yankton during last night's sham war tactics by the Atlantic fleet off the Cape Cod coast. When the Yankton, which is serving as a dispatch boat, arrived in port today, she reported the incident.

A thick fog caused the war game to be called off and the ships were ordered to make for port. The Yankton was proceeding slowly when the fog lifted for a moment and disclosed a submarine running on the surface just across her bows.

As the Yankton swung off to avoid the craft, it headed directly upon another submarine creeping out of the fog bank.

A crash seemed inevitable, but the ship's sharp prow was swung around just as the submarine slipped by, scarcely 20 feet distant. The names of the submarines are unknown to the men on the Yankton.

Despite the shortening of the work last night there was time enough to give a test of the battleship fleet against torpedo boats and submarines.

The Yankton, which was doing picket duty for the battleships, claims to have uncovered at least seven of the submarines, which, the torpedo boat men say, stepped in close enough to sink, theoretically, one of the big "dreadnaughts."

Tactical exercises and torpedo shooting for the week closed today when the Nebraska, Delaware, Michigan, Missouri, Virginia and Ohio came into the harbor.

The Vermont, Kansas, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Mississippi and Iowa remained for speed trials off the Barnstable and Sandwich shore.

The Maine is being given some official tests by the United States board of inspectors.

SEARCHED BOTTOM OF SHIP.

Lieut. W. V. Tomp Groped Among Barnacles for Sailor's Body.

Washington, Aug. 3.—To crawl around 20 feet under water feeling among the sharp barnacles which cover the bottom of the big ship, is not the safest and most pleasant task, yet that is what was done by Lieut. Wm. V. Tomb, U. S. N., attached to the cruiser Maryland.

A sailor had fallen overboard and drowned and it was supposed that his body had been swept under the bilges. It would take some time to rig up a diving apparatus. Lieut. Tomb did not wait, but, tying a life rope around his body, he plunged into the sea and made a long search for the ship's bottom.

Official recognition of his bravery has been given in a letter addressed to Lieut. Tomb by Acting Secretary Winthrop.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Gross extravagance on the part of the Democratic majority in conducting "useless investigations" was charged in the House today by Republican leader Mann, who also claimed the Democratic employees were incompetent. His accusations provoked sharp replies from Representative James of Kentucky, Foster of Illinois and Fitzgerald of New York.

Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

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CHARLOTTE SITUATION

Mayor Issues Statement As to Water Famine There

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 4.—Mayor Bland, of Charlotte, today issued the following statement to the Associated Press:

"Owing to the alarming and exaggerated reports which have gone abroad about the water situation here, it becomes necessary to make the following statement:

"The city of Charlotte has never been without adequate fire protection. More than two million gallons of water have been on hand always. The water was cut off several hours daily for a week, just for the sake of conserving the fire protection supply. This was inconvenient to the citizens, but never dangerous. The supply is now about normal, with constant pressure on the mains.

"The tank cars employed to bring water from the Catawba river during the crisis will soon be discontinued, being no longer necessary.

"The health conditions are excellent—copious rains having fallen during the last 24 hours, which have greatly relieved the situation.

(Signed) "CHAS. A. BLAND,
"Mayor."

SLEUTHS IN 12,000-MILE HUNT.

Detectives Returning From Russia to Boston With Prisoner.

Boston, Aug. 3.—After traveling more than 12,000 miles in a criminal hunt, Inspectors Lynch and Morrissey, of Boston, are on their way home from Vilna, Russia, aboard the steamer Kursh with Harris Rothstein as their prisoner, according to word received here today.

Rothstein is charged with the robbery of a jewelry store in Boston a year ago.

Jacob and Joseph Goldberg, two other men wanted for the same burglary, it became known today, will be delivered to Inspectors Lee and Cronin, of Boston, at Trieste, August 19.

Rothstein is expected to arrive in New York August 12 and the Goldbergs September 1.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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LOST—On Wednesday, a bunch of 9 or 10 keys, all flat. Reward if returned to "B. T.," care of Star office. au5-1t

LOST—Wednesday morning down town, lady's gold fountain pen engraved "C. H. J." Finder please phone 702 or notify "O. O. M.," care the Star. au5-1t*

MEN AND WOMEN—If you want work sell guaranteed hosiery to wearer. Big commission. Make $10 daily. Experience unnecessary. Address International Mills, 3028 Chestnut, Philadelphia, Pa. au5sa4t*

WOMEN—Sell guaranteed hose; 70 per cent profit; make $10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Strong Knit, Box 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. au5sa4t*

FOR SALE — Remington typewrter in good order; cheap. Call at 904 Princess, or 'phone 9046. au5-3t*

DRESSED CHICKENS TODAY — Extra fancy beef, best to be found. Walton Creek watermelons, large size from young vines. Full line of fresh vegetables. Quick delivery. Palace Market Co., 'phone No. 72. au5-tf

I HAVE FOR SALE pair of young dapple gray horses, weighing 3,200 lbs.; one pair extra good carriage horses, with fine style; one nice small turnout, lady-broke; one fast mare, and other fine driving horses for sale at Burgaw, N. C. J. J. Bardin. au4-5t

WANTED—Lady cashier for store. Must be quick and accurate at figures. One who has some knowledge of book-keeping and stenography preferred. Address Butters Lumber Co., Boardman, N. C. au4-3t

WANTED TO RENT—(Possession October 1st), comfortable residence, well located on or near car line, about seven rooms, exclusive of kitchen, pantry and bath room; lot with good frontage and depth and good drinking water. Cottage preferred. Might buy at low cash price. Address, giving price and full description, "Ivanhoe," care Star Office. au4-tf

LOST—Yesterday, a bunch of keys on flat key ring. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Star Office. au4-2t

LOST—On train No. 50, between Whiteville and Wilmington, Friday, July 28th, 1911, one 18-k. open face, 12-size gold watch with gold face and hands. Royal Waltham movement; monogram in back, "E. C. E.," in case, "P. H. C. to G. G. F." and "G. G. F. to G. G. F., Jr." Silk fob; charm, half dollar, 1905, pressed head. If found return to Clayton Giles & Co., Wilmington, N. C., and get reward. au3-4t

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WANTED—Position with machinery of any kind. Have 10 years as oil mill superintendent. Married, sober, do not smoke cigarettes; not afraid of work. Can furnish best references. Address "C. S. Mitchell," Spring Hope, N. C., Box 153. au2-6t*

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THE VANCE PLACE, at Black Mountain, N. C., will be divided into lots and sold at auction Monday, Aug. 7th, at 10:30 A. M. E. M. Andrews, Manager. jy30,au1,3,5-4t

THE ELEGANT HOMESTEAD adjoining the Vance Place at Black Mountain, N. C., will be divided into lots and sold at auction Monday, Aug. 7th, at 10:30 A. M. E. M. Andrews, Manager. jy30,au1,3,5-4t

NOTICE—We are now running a dairy in East Wilmington, and are prepared to deliver pure, clean milk in the city. Let us have your orders. D. F. Klein & Son, 'Phone 763, call 3. au1-6t*

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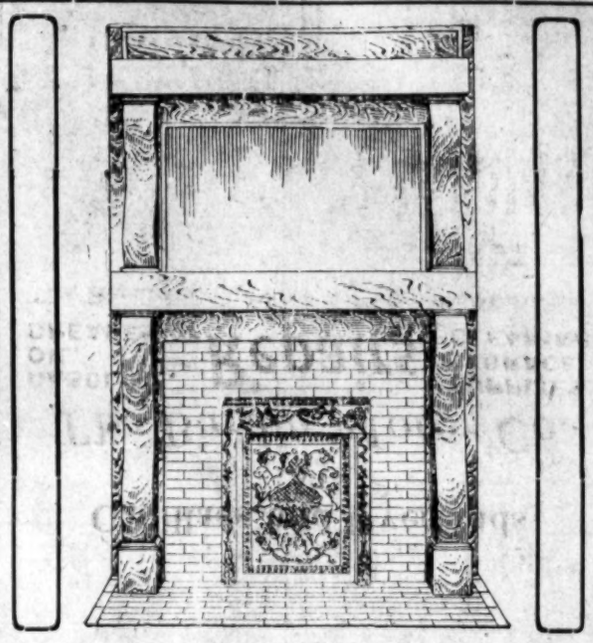

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